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NUMISMATICS AND EDUCATION

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One type of coin collecting that is becoming increasingly popular, particularly among the younger collectors, is collecting by "subjects." By that I mean collecting coins picturing animals, birds, flowers, ships, etc. The young collector and the adult beginner have little interest in proofs, die breaks, patterns and other delights of the specialist. They want coins, interesting coins, the more the merrier, and condition is secondary!

"Subject" collecting not only has a strong appeal for the beginner, but it fulfills more than any other type of collecting one of the primary purposes of numismatics, that of education. Few people, even numismatists, realize the wealth of knowledge that can be learned from coins. History, geography, mythology, art, architecture, archeology, heraldry, and music are a few of the branches of knowledge treated on coins, any one of which would make a fine topic for a "subject" collection. Other topics illustrated by coins are astronomy, flowers, trees, birds, insects, animals, fish, reptiles, trains, ships, maps, mountains, dress, agriculture, flags, communication, economics, oddities and unusual mediums of exchange.

One of the most interesting and certainly one of the most educational exhibits I have ever seen is a collection of "Famous Men and Women on Coins." This collection includes portraits of the greatest men and women of all time, together with a write-up of their chief contributions to our civilization. The collection pictures Alexander the Great, Julius Caesar, Constantine the Great, William the Conqueror, Columbus, Queen Elizabeth, Frederick the Great, Napoleon, Balboa, Bolivar, Sucre, Washington, Lincoln, Queen Victoria, Grant and Sun Yet-sen, to name only a few. The possibilities of such a collection are unlimited and the collector will not only have a fine collection that even the non-collector will find interesting, but he will be adding to his own fund of knowledge as his collection grows.

Another "subject" collection popular with the young and old alike is "Ships on Coins." It is amazing to see how many types of ships are pictured on coins. Some of the more interesting are the Phoenician galley on the five piastres of Lebanon, Chinese junk on the Chinese dollar, native sailing canoe on the shilling of Fiji, Indian birch bark canoe on the Canadian dollar and innumerable types of sailing vessels on the coins of several countries. This collection will be inexpensive and also of interest to the non-collector.

A fascinating and also educational "subject" collection is "Odd Coins and Unusual Mediums of Exchange." How many people know that wheat and

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barley were used as money in ancient Babylon and were two of the earliest mediums of exchange used by man? Did you know that rice was declared receivable for taxes in North Carolina in 1719 and that the Massachusetts colonists used corn for money? One would therefore have wheat, barley, rice and corn as well as tobacco (Virginia), cocoa beans (Aztecs) and tea (China) in this collection. Other interesting and historical moneys would include hand-made nails (American colonies), arrow heads (Indians), cowrie shells, bullets (Ethiopia), whales teeth (Fiji Islands), encased postage stamps and wooden nickels, not to mention the interesting "shirt, key, and knife" money of China, the "spear" and "ring" money of Africa and Siamese "bullet" money. This type of collection also has unlimited possibilities, as one can include the different shapes, sizes, materials and metals of coins.

A subject collection of "Animals and Birds on Coins" has a universal appeal and many coins picture the wild life of the issuing country. The lion seems to be the most popular animal and the eagle the most frequent bird, but among others are found the beaver (Canada), crab (Sicily), kangaroo (Australia), llama (Peru or Bolivia), swine (Eire) and turtle (Fiji Islands), as well as numerous types of birds, fish and even an insect, a bee (Italy)!

"Greek and Roman Mythology" is an excellent topic for a "subject" collection although the field is more limited unless you use the reverses of coins. I have seen collections picturing most of the Roman gods and goddesses and many of the Greek.

The "subject" collection has its greatest educational value when it is used as demonstration material by a teacher. How much more interesting as well as informative a class in Ancient History can be if the students are shown coins picturing the Roman Emperors and Roman and Greek gods and goddesses. In Economics class a study of the debasement of the coinage under the Roman emperors will give students a better understanding of the dangers of inflation. Students in an English History class will profit greatly by seeing coins portraying all of the English Kings. It is not generally known that the only existing portraits of some of the early kings are found on their coins. A course in Latin American History can be made to live through a study of the coins of those countries, which picture the Spanish kings, Latin American patriots and liberators and early presidents, and tales of the raids of English "pirates" on the Spanish treasure fleets will seem more real if the students can see and handle a piece-of-eight.

American History could be more meaningful with the use of colonial coins and notes and U. S. commemorative half dollars. These latter coins picture many great Americans and many of the outstanding events in American history.

In order to show a coin to a class it is advisable to use an opaque projector. This machine enlarges the coin and throws it on a screen so that the whole class can see every detail. Some coins, of course, should be passed around so that the students can handle them. If there isn't a coin club in the school there soon will be one if teachers will enrich their courses with some numismatic material plus a little imagination.

There are many other topics that offer possibilities for a "subject" collection. No doubt my reader can think of several that I have omitted. One advantage of this type of collecting is that it does not have to be expensive. And the greatest advantage—outside of the educational value to the collector—is that everyone, even people who have no interest in numismatics, will enjoy looking at your collection. For this is the greatest reward of the numismatist—to be able to show his collection to someone who genuinely appreciates it.

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SILVER DOLLAR-SIZE COINS OF FRENCH PROVINCES

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Foreword

Dollar-size coins of French princes and provinces present, probably, a less known subject than any other series of foreign dollars. Most of these coins are quite rare, and, even the ones which are found more frequently should be classified among the scarce coins.

The following is a list of all types of dollars issued in the provinces and principalities of Artois, Buillon and Sedan, Burgundy, Chateau Renaud, Dombes, Montbeliard, Nevers and Rethel, Orange and the city of Besançon, prior to their annexation by the royal government of France.

The coinage of dukes, bishops, cities, etc., in the territories of Alsace-Lorraine is not included in this article. It is a subject in itself. The papal coinage of the city Avignon, also, is not included; the author hopes to deal with this subject in the near future, while listing all the papal dollars.

In order to complete this article a number of numismatic works had to be consulted. Several types of dollars and a number of dates unknown to Poey d'Avant are listed. In preparing this article the author encountered a number of anachronisms and other discrepancies and only the data, which the author considered correct, was used. The author will appreciate any communication with information supplementing this article.

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ARTOIS

This old province of France, with Arras as its capital, was located within the present departments of Nord and Pas-de-Calais on Belgian border.

It was originally created into a county by Charles the Bald in 862. Emperor Charles V inherited Artois, together with Burgundy and other possessions from his aunt, Margaret of Austria. After his death it passed to his son, Philip II of Spain.

Artois remained in the possession of Philip's successors to Spanish Netherlands until its conquest by the French in 1640. It was officially reunited with France by the peace treaty of Nimegue (Nimwegen) in 1678.

The silver dollars of Artois are replicas of the well known type struck for the Spanish Netherlands during the corresponding years, but on the end of the titles, instead of "Duke of Brabant," "Count of Flanders," etc., is "Count of Artois." A mouse or rat was used as a mint mark.

Philip II of Spain, 1555-1598

1. Dalder, daeldre philippus 1587, 1588. (P. d'A. calls it "Grand Ecu")

   Obv.: PHS.D.G.HISP.Z.REX.CO.ART. (Philip, by the grace of God, King of Spain, etc., Count of Artois) His bust facing right, below 8 rat 7.

   Rev.: DOMINVS.MIHI.ADIVTOR. (Lord is my Helper) Crowned arms of Spain superimposed over Burgundian cross.
   1587—P.d'A. 6769; Her. 1896.
   1588—Her. 1897.

2. Dalder, daeldre philippus, 1589-1592. Rare.

   Obv.: Similar to #1. Somewhat different bust and below is the full date divided by rat.

   Rev.: Similar to #1.
   1589—Her. 1898.
   1592—P.d'A. 6770.

3. Double dalder, double daeldre philippus, 1592. Ex. Rare.
   Similar to #2, but of double thickness. Her. 1900.

ALBERT AND ISABELLA OF AUSTRIA, 1598-1621

No coins of Artois are known to have been struck during their reign.

PHILIP IV OF SPAIN, 1621-1640

4. Patagon 1623-1635.

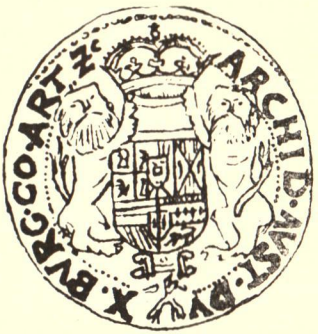
   Obv.: PHIL.IIII.D.G.HISP.ET.INDIAR.REX. (Philip IV, by the Grace

of God, King of Spain and India) Crowned Burgundian cross dividing date, rat over the crown.

Rev.: ARCHID.AVST.DVX.BVRG.CO.ART.Z. (Archduke of Austria, Duke of Burgundy, Count of Artois, etc.) Crowned Spanish arms surrounded by the chain of Golden Fleece.
1623—P.d'A. 6784; Her. 1903.
Herrera, under ## 1904-1910 lists patagons of 1624, 1625, 1627, 1628, 1629, 1634, and 1635.

5. Double patagon 1623 and 1634. Very Rare.

Similar to #4, but of double thickness.
Not in P.d'A. 1623—Her. 1911; 1634—Her. 1912.



6. Dalder or ducaton 1635. Rare.

Obv.: PHIL.IIII.D.G.HISP.ET.INDIAR.REX. His bust facing right, ruff collar. Above 16 rat 35.

Rev.: ARCHIS.AVST.DVX.BVRG.CO.ART.Z. Crowned Spanish arms supported by two lions.
P.d'A. 6781; Her. 1901.

7. Double dalder or double ducaton 1635. Ex. Rare.

Similar to #6, but of double thickness.
Her. 1902.

NOTE: There are die varieties of the above described coins with differently abbreviated and punctuated inscriptions.

BESANCON

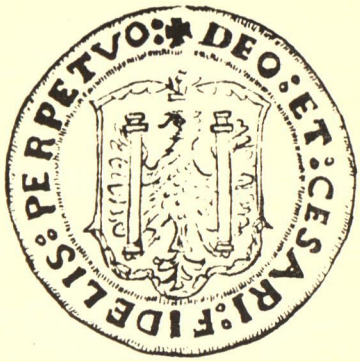
Besançon, city in eastern France, is now capital of department of Doubs. The town is very ancient; as an important town of Vesontio it was occupied and described by Julius Caesar in 58 B. C. The archbishops of Besançon date from 2nd century and they gradually acquired considerable power.

Although it may have been declared a free imperial city by Frederic Barbarossa in 12th century, nevertheless, the emperor Charles V made similar declaration, and, in 1534 granted the city the right to coin money. At the same time he prohibited the archbishops from exercising this privilege.

For this action the citizens of the city had a great affection for Charles V and even after his death preserved his effigy on their coins.

The Austro-Spanish House of Hapsburg retained Besançon from 1477 to 1678 as a part of Burgundian inheritance. During that time the city became very prosperous and superceded Dolé as the real capital of Franche Comte.

During Franco-Spanish wars of 17th century the city was repeatedly attacked by the French, and it was formally ceded to France by the peace treaty of Nimwegen in 1678.



8. Double show taler without date. Very rare.

Obv.: CAROLVS:V:IMPERATOR. (Charles V, Emperor) his bust in decorated armor facing right, large crown on his head.
Rev.: DEO:ET:CASARI:FEDELIS:PERPETVO: (Forever faithful to God and Emperor) Arms of Besançon.
Madai 5933 "Broad rare taler"; Vogel 3945 "Double show taler." Not in Poey d'Avant. There are two or more die varieties.

9. Taler 1541. (P.d'A.—"Ryndaldre") Ex. Rare.

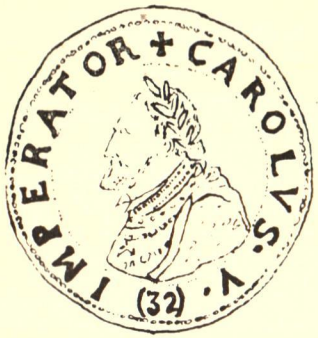
Obv.: CAROLVS:QVINTVS:IMPERATOR: (Charles Fifth, Emperor) His half length bust facing right with a sword and apple of state.
Rev.: MONETA: CIVITATIS: VISVNTINE. 1541 (Coin of the city Besançon) Cross extending through legend; the arms of the city are superimposed over its middle.
P.d'A. 5389.

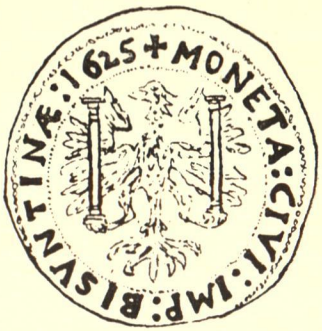
10. Double taler 1564. Ex. Rare.

Obv.: DEO.ET.CAES.FIDEL.PERPET. Bust of Maximilian II in armor facing right.
Rev.: Arms of the city on the breast of imperial double eagle, large crown above, around on a ribbon: PLEVT:A:DIEV: (As God pleases) Seven shields of arms in outside circle. Over the crown VESONTIO (Besançon) Mad. 4767.

11. Taler 1584. Very rare.

Obv.: RVDOLPHVS:II:D.G.RO:IMP:GE:ET:BO:REX (Rudolph II, by the Grace of God, Roman Emperor, King of Germany and Bohemia) His laureated bust facing right.
Rev.: Crowned arms of the city surrounded with seven shields. Over the crown PLEVT A DIEV and on sides the date 1584. Mad. 7120.





12. Taler 1624, 1625.

Obv.: CAROLVS.V.IMPERATOR. His laureated bust facing left. Below the bust 32 (groschen)

Rev.: MONETA:GIVI:IMP:VISVNTINAE: and date. (Coin of imperial city Besançon) Large arms of the city.
1624—Mad. 2159; Her. 2175.
1625—Mad. 2159; P.d'A. 5410; Her. 2176.

13. Taler 1641. Rare.

Obv.: CAROLVS:V:IMPERATOR. His laureated bust facing left.

Rev.: MONETA:CIVI:IMP.BISVNTINAE:1641. Besançon's eagle.
Madai 7121; Her. 2177.

14. Taler 165(sic!) Her. 2178.

15. Taler 1658-1667.

Obv.: CAROLVS.QVINT.ROM.IMPERATOR. (Charles the Fifth, Roman Emperor). Emperor standing facing right and dividing date. In his right hand a sceptre and in the left the apple of state.

Rev.: MONETA.CIVIT.IMPER.BISVNTINAE. Crowned imperial eagle with Besançon's shield superimposed on its breast.
1660—P.d'A. 5422.
1658-1667 Herrera ## 2179-2188.

NOTE: There are some die varieties with differently abbreviated and punctuated inscriptions.

BOUILLON AND SEDAN

The city and castle of Bouillon are located within the present territory of Luxembourg. During the first half of 15th century Sedan, located within the present department of Ardennes on Belgian border, passed, through marriage, into de la Mark family. In the end of the same century Bouillon, then the possession of Liege bishopric, was given to Robert de la Mark, thus uniting those two principalities under the sovereignty of the House de la Mark.

In 1591, Henri de la Tour D'Auvergne, vicomte de Turenne, married Charlotte, sister and heiress of Guillame Robert de la Mark, thereby acquiring Bouillon, Sedan, Rauncort, and other possessions of de la Mark family. Charlotte died in 1594.

The second wife of Henri de la Tour was Elizabeth of Nassau, daughter of William the Silent, and their second son, also named Henri, became one of the most famous generals of France. Bouillon remained French until 1814.

In 1815, Captain Philippe d'Auvergne, who bore the title of Duke of Bouillon from 1792 to 1816, struck a 5 franc piece, possibly only a pattern, which is described below.

Henri de la Tour, 1591-1623

16. Ecu of 30 sous 1613 and 1614. (P.d'A.—"Thaler")

Obv.: HENRICVS.DE.LA.TOVR.DVX.BVLLIONAEVS. (Henri de la Tour, Duke of Bouillon) Spread eagle, on its breast is a small shield with a boar and a tree. Under the claws XXX and date.

Rev.: SVPREMVS.PRINCEPS.SEDANENSIS. (Supreme Prince of Sedan) Crowned quartered shield. First and fourth quarters—lilies and tower (arms of de la Tour family); second—church banners (Auvergne); third—paly bendy (Turenne) and in the middle is a small shield with three roundels (Boulogne).

Madai 148; Duby XL, 8; Sch. 1468; P.d'A. 6304.

17. Ecu of 30 sous 1613 and 1614. (P.d'A.—"Grand Ecu")

Obv.: Similar to #16.

Rev.: Similar to #16, but in the fourth quarter of the shield are the Bouillon (fess)

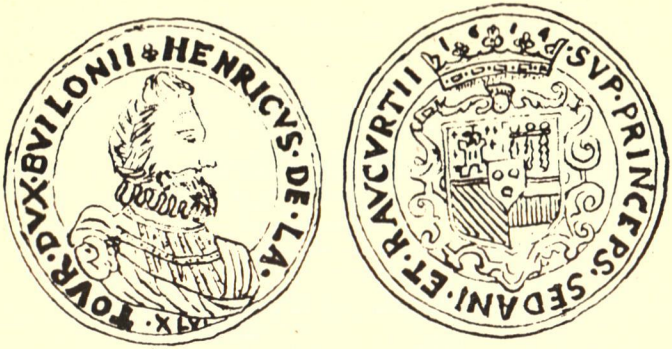
Sch. 1469. P.d'A. 6303.

18. Ecu of 30 sous 1613 and 1614. (P.d'A.—"Grand Ecu")

Obv.: Similar to ##16 and 17.

Rev.: Similar to ##16 and 17, but different arrangement of arms. In the first and fourth quarters are the arms of de la Tour, while in the second and third are those of Turenne. In the middle is a small shield of Auvergne.

Duby XL, 7; Sch. 1470; P.d'A. 6306.



19. Ecu of 45 sous 1614. (P.d'A.—"Thaler") Rare.

Obv.: HENRICVS DE LA TOVR DVX BVLLIONII. Bust facing right, ruff collar, rich armor. Below XLV (45 sous)
Rev.: SVP.PRINCEPS.SEDANI.ET RAVCVRTII (Supreme Prince of Sedan and Rauncort) Crowned arms in ornamental frame, arranged like on #17. Above the crown 1614.
Duby XLI, 8; Sch. 1472; P.d'A. 6308.

20. Ecu of 45 sous 1614. Rare.

Obv.: Similar to #19. Somewhat different bust.
Rev.: Similar to #19, but the arms are arranged same as #18. Sch. 1471 (from Cat. Imp. I c.)

21. Ecu of 45 sous without the indication of value. 1614. Rare.

Obv.: Similar to #19, but with 1614 below the bust.
Rev.: Similar to #19, above the crown 1614.
Mad. 6117; Sch. 1473.

22. Ecu of 45 sous 1615 without indication of value (P.d'A.—"Thaler") Rare.

Obv.: HENRICVS etc., bust similar to #20, below 1615.
Rev.: SVP.PRINCEPS.SEDANI.ET.RAVCVRT. Arms same as #17.
Sch. 1474; P.d'A. 6309; Duby XLI, 7.

23. Ecu of 45 sous 1616 without indication of value. (P.d'A.—"Thaler") Rare.

Similar to #22.
P.d'A. 6310.

NOTE: There are some die varieties of the above described coins and the titles on some of them are differently abbreviated and punctuated.

Philippe d'Auvergne, Jan.-Sept. 1815

24. 5 francs 1815. No indication of value.

Obv.: PHILIPPE D'AUVERGNE. Bust in uniform facing left. Below; CH.WERDUN.F. (made by Ch. Werdun.)
Rev.: DUC-SOUVERAIN DE BOUILLON. Crowned arms between two laurel branches. Below: Lily-1813-A
Edge: DOMINE SALVUM FAC DUCEM (O Lord, save the Duke) Also can be found with plain edge.
Reim. 8145.

BURGUNDY OR FRANCHE COMTE

This duchy and county was located in the Rhone valley in the middle of Eastern France. It was created in 877 by Charles le Chauve (Charles the Bald) and its boundaries greatly varied during its turbulent history.

In 1477 Burgundy passed into the House of Hapsburg through marriage of Marie, daughter of Charles the Brave, Duke of Burgundy, with Maximilian, later Maximilian I of the Holy Roman Empire.

In the middle of the 16th century, Philip II of Spain inherited the duchy from his father Charles V and it remained in possession of Philip's successors to the Spanish Netherlands, just as did Artois. It changed hands frequently during the Franco-Spanish wars of the 17th Century and at the peace treaty of Nimegen in 1678 it was officially ceded to France.

The dollars bear the name and titles of Philip IV of Spain and are replicas of the coinage of the Low Countries, as is Artois, but the titles end with "Duke and Count of Burgundy, etc." or "Count of Burgundy, etc.")

The mint was in town of Dolé, located within present department of Jura.

Philip IV of Spain, 1621-1665

25. Patagon 1625, 1627 and other dates.

Obv.: PHIL.IIII.D.G.REX.HISP.INDIAR.Z. (Philip IV, by the Grace of God, King of Spain and India, etc.) Crowned Burgundian cross dividing date.
Rev.: ARCHID.AVST.DVX.ET.COM.BVRG.Z. (Archduke of Austria, Duke and Count of Burgundy, etc.) Crowned Spanish arms surrounded by a chain of Golden Fleece.
P.d'A 5332.

26. Patagon 1625. (Poey d'Avant calls it "Thaler")

Obv.: Similar to #25.
Rev.: ARCHID.AVSTRIE. COM.BURG.Z. (Archduke of Austria, Count of Burgundy) Similar to #25.
P.d'A. 5334.

27. Patagon 1636.
Similar to #25, but at the beginning of the legend is a small globe.
P.d'A. 5336.

NOTE: The titles on some of the patagons are differently abbreviated and punctuated.

CHATEAU-RENAUD

The small city of Chateau-Renaud is located in the present department of Ardennes, near the Belgian border. It was founded by one of the counts of Rethel in the 14th century.

In 1605 Francois de Bourbon, Prince Conti, acquired this small principality through marriage with his second wife, Louise Marguerite de Lorraine. Francois died in 1614 and in 1629 his widow ceded Chateau-Renaud to Louis XIII of France in exchange for Pont-sur Seine. She died in 1631.

The silver dollars struck during the life of Francois are similar to those

of the adjacent principality of Rethel, while those struck by his widow are the imitations of the "cross patagons" of the Spanish-Netherlands.

The silver dollars are rare.

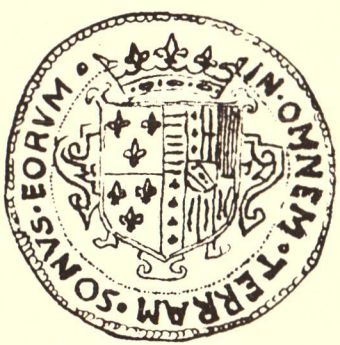
Francois de Bourbon-Conti and Louise Marguerite of Lorraine 1605-1614

28. Ecu of 30 sous 1614. (P.d'Avant—"Grand ecu")

Obv.: F.BORBONIVS.L.MARGARETA.A.LOTHARINGIA (Francois de Bourbon, Louise Marguerite of Lorraine) Their busts facing each other, crown above, below XXX (sous)

Rev.: IN OMNEM TERRAM.SONVS.EORVM.1614. (His sons are in all lands) Crowned ornamental shield.

Mad. 2573; Duby XLVIII, 8; Sch. 1477; P.d'A. 6246.



29. Broad ecu without date and indication of value (P. d'Avant—"Grand ecu") Ex. rare.

Obv.: FR.BOVRBONIVS.LVD.MARGARETA A LOTHARIN. Bust of Francois alone facing right, ruff collar.

Rev.: IN OMNEM etc. Crowned ornamental shield.

P.d'A. 6247.

Louise Marguerite alone after the death of her husband 1614-1629

30. Patagon without date (P.d'A.—"Grand ecu")

Obv.: LVD.MARG.A LOTH.D.G.SVP.PR.C.REGI. (Louise Marguerite of Lorraine, by the Grace of God Supreme Princess of Chateau-Renaud) Crowned shield surrounded by a chain of Order of Holy Spirit.

Rev.: MONETA.ARGENTEA.CAS.TRO.REGINALDI.CV. (silver coin struck at Chateau Renaud) Ornamental Burgundian cross, on each side is crowned monogram, order of Holy Spirit below. P.d'A. 6256.

31. Patagon without date.

Obv.: Similar to #30.

Rev.: MONETA.NOVA.ARGENTEA.CAST.REGI.CVSA. (New silver coin struck at Chateau Renaud) Similar to #30. P.d'A. 6258.

32. Patagon 1626. Very rare.

Obv.: Similar to #31.

Rev.: Legend similar to #31. Ornamental Burgundian cross dividing date, in the middle is a shield with eagle and below another eagle. Mad. 2574; Sch. 1478; P.d'A. 6257.

33. Patagon 1628. Very rare.

Obv.: Similar to #30.

Rev.: Similar to #30, but the date is on each side of the cross, instead of monogram. Vogel 3978.

NOTE: There are a number of die varieties of the patagons of Louise Marguerite with differently abbreviated and punctuated legend on reverse and obverse.

DOMBES

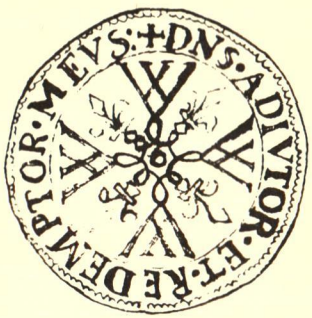
This district is located in eastern France within the present department of Ain near the Swiss border. Its capital was Trevoux. Sires of de Villars and de Thoire were the seigneurs of this principality until 1402, when it was sold to the Duke of Bourbon.

In 1527, after the rebellion of Constable de Bourbon against France, it was annexed to royal domains. However, in 1560 it was granted to Louis, Duke of Bourbon Montpensier and remained in possession of his heirs. His grandson's only daughter and heiress, Marie, married in 1626 Gaston, Duke of Orleans and brother of Louis XIII of France. She died in 1627 leaving a

daughter Anne Marie Louise. Gaston participated in several rebellions against his brother Louis XIII and later against his nephew Louis XIV. Although Gaston was granted the title of "Beneficiary Prince of Dombes" only until the maturity of his daughter in 1650, he continued striking coins bearing his name until 1652, when he was exiled to Blois, where he died in 1660.

After the death of Anna Marie Louise, who is known in French history as "Mademoiselle d'Orleans," the principality of Dombes was annexed to the French crown.

Louis de Bourbon Montpensier, 1560-1582



34. Ecu 1576. Extremely rare.

Obv.: LVD.D.BOVRBON.D.MONTISP.PR.DOMBAR. (Louis de Bourbon, Duke of Montpensier, Prince of Dombes) Duke riding upon a decorated horse, date below.

Rev.: DNS.ADIVTOR.ET.REDEMPTOR.MEVS: (Lord is my Helper and my Redeemer) Four W's in a form of a cross, lilies in corners. Not in Duby or P.d'A. Mad. 150; Sch. 1479.

NOTE: This coin in V. G. condition was valued at approx. $350.00 by Helbing, Munchen, 1928.

35. Ecu 1576. Of highest rarity.

Obv.: Similar to #34.

Rev.: BARRIE(rs) PEAG (iers) PONTANI (ers) LAISSEZ.PASSER. L (es) MONOIES. (Gatekeepers, Toll-collectors, Bridgetenders let the money pass) In the middle is the name of the mint city TREVOVLX, a crown is above and below are tongs between two hammers.
Not in P.d'A. Mad. 5246; Sch. 1480.

Francois, son of Louis, 1582-1592.
No dollar size silver coins.

Henri, son of Francois, 1592-1608.
No dollar size silver coins.

Marie, daughter of Henri, 1608-1626.
No dollar size silver coins.

Marie and her husband Gaston, 1626-1627.
No dollar size silver coins.

Gaston alone, as beneficiary prince, 1627-1650.

36. Ecu 1652. (Poey d'Avant calls it "Grand Ecu Blanc")

Obv.: GASTON.VS.P.DOMBARVM (Gaston, Beneficiary Prince of Dombes) His laureated bust facing right.

Rev.: DOMINVS ADIVTOR.ET.REDE.MEVS. 1652. (Lord is my Helper and my Redeemer)
Crowned shield of arms.
Mad. 152; Duby XLVI, 11; Sch. 1488; P.d'A. 5184.

Anne Marie Louise, daughter of Gaston, 1650-1693

37. Ecu 1673. (P.d'A.—"Grand Ecu Blanc") Rare.

Obv.: AN.MA.LVD.PRIN.SVPRE.DOMBAR. (Anne Marie Louise, Supreme Princess of Dombes) Her head right, tied hair, necklace.

Rev.: DOMINVS.ADIVTOR.ET.REDE MEVS. (Lord is my Helper and my Redeemer) Crowned shield, below is Paris mint mark A.
Mad. Duby XLVII, 10; Sch. 1490; P.d'A. 5218.

MONTBELIARD

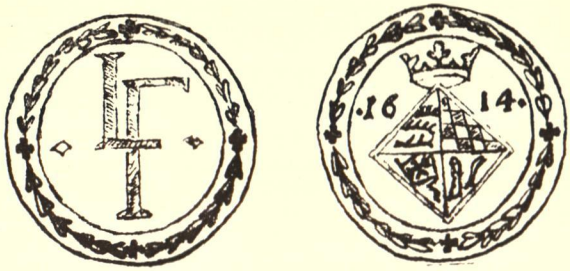
Montbeliard (German-Mömpelgard) is located in the present department of Doubs, near Swiss border.

In the middle of XII century Montbeliard belonged to the House of Montfaucon. It then passed to the House of Burgundy-Chalon and afterwards again returned to the House of Montfaucon. In 1937 dukes of Wurtemburg acquired Montbeliard through marriage of Henriette de Montfaucon with Eberard of Wurtemburg.

Although the principality was officially ceded to France in 1536, the dukes of Wurtemburg retained the possession of Montbeliard into 18th century.

The dollars of Montbeliard are very similar to those coined by the dukes of Wurtemburg for their German duchy.

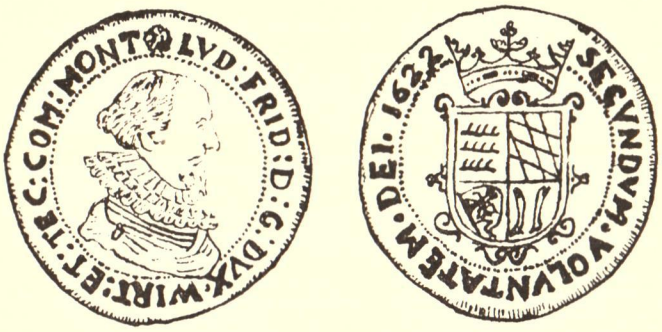
LUDWIG FRIEDRICH, 1608-1631



38. Shooting festival taler 1614. Very rare.

Obv.: Monogram L.F.

Rev.: Crowned arms dividing date. Mad. 4145. Vogel 320. Although this coin is of small diameter, it is thick and is of full taler weight.



39. Taler 1622 and 1623. (P.d'A—"Daldre") Rare.

Obv.: LVD:FRID:D:G:DVX.WIRT:ET:TEC:COM:MONT. (Ludwig Friedrich, by the Grace of God, Duke of Wurtemburg and Teck, Count of Montbeliard) Bust facing right, ruff collar.

Rev.: SECVNDVM VOLVNTATEM DEI (According to the Will of God) and date. Crowned arms. Mad. 1628. P.d'A. 5443.

NOTE: There are two or more die varieties.

NEVERS AND RETHEL

Nevers is located in the middle of France and is now the capital of the present department of Nievre, while Rethel is within the department of Ardennes, close to the Belgian border. The two widely separated principalities were united under a single sovereignty by the marriage of Jean de Rethel to Louis, Count of Flanders and Nevers in 1290.

In the 14th century Nevers and Rethel passed into the House of d'Albert and, in the beginning of the 16th century, into the House of Cleves. In 1564 Henriette de Cleves, duchess of Rethel and countess of Nevers, married Louis Gonzaga, son of Frederic II Gonzaga, duke of Mantua.

The principalities remained in possession of the House of Gonzaga until 1659, when Charles III Gonzaga, duke of Mantua, sold all his possessions in France to cardinal Mazarin. No coins for these principalities were struck after this sale.

The dollars of Nevers and Rethel are rare.

HENRIETTE do CLEVES AND LOUIS GONZAGA, 1564-1601

No dollar size silver coins.

CHARLES II GONZAGA, 1601-1637

40. Ecu of 30 sous 1610-1611 (PDA—"Thaler")

Obv.: CAROLVS.GONZAGA.DVX.NIVERN.ET.RETH. (Charles Gonzaga Duke of Nevers and Rethel) Spread crowned eagle; on its breast is a small shield with human face sun. Under the claws XXX and date.

Rev.: SVPREMVS.PRINCEPS.ARCHENSIS. (Supreme Prince of Arches) Crowned shield, above the crown FIDES (faith), while on its border is OLYMPOS in Greek. In the first quarter are the arms of Mantua, in the second and third—Old Burgundy, in fourth—Cleves, while the small middle shield is of Rethel.
1610—Vogel 4026; 1611—Mad. 2059, Sch. 1492, P.d'A. 6126.

NOTE: Arches is a small town on Meuse river, near Belgian border.

41. Ecu of 30 sous 1613, 1615. (P.d'A—"Thaler")

Obv.: CAR.DVX.NIVERENSIS.ET.RETHELENSIS. (Charles, Duke of Nevers and Rethel) Similar to #40.

Rev.: DEI.GRATIA.PRINCEPS.ARCHENSIS. (By the Grace of God Prince of Arches) Similar to #40.
1613—Mad. 2059; Sch. 1493; P.d'A. 6123.
1614—Sch. 1494; Variety with full name CAROLVS P.d'A. 6124.

42. Ecu of 30 sous without date and indication of value. (P.d'A. "Thaler")

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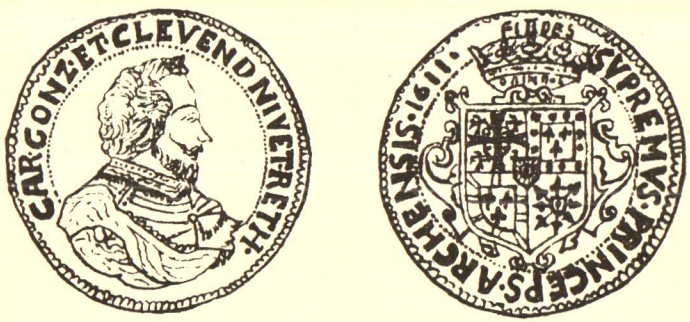
Rev.: Similar to #41.
P.d'A. 6125.



43. Ecu 1611 (P.d'A—"Grand Ecu") Ex. rare.

Obv.: CAR.GONZ.ET.CLEVEN.D.NIV.ET.RETH. (Charles Gonzaga and Cleves, Duke of Nevers and Rethel) His draped bust facing right.

Rev.: SVPREMVS.PRINCEPS.ARCHENSIS.1611. Similar to #40, but in the middle is a small shield with sun.
P.d'A. 6129. Sch.—

44. Large Ecu 1614. (P.d'A. "Tres grand module") Ex. rare.

Obv.: CAROLVS.DVX.NIVERENSIS.ET.RETHELENSIS.1614. Draped bust facing right.

Rev.: Similar to #41.
P.d'A. 1630. Sch.—

45. Ecu without date (P.d'A—"Thaler") Ex. Rare.

Obv.: CAR.GONZ.D.NIV.ET.RET.DEI.GRA.S.IMP.PRINC. (Charles Gonzaga, Duke of Nevers and Rethel, by the Grace of God, Prince of Holy Empire) Imperial double-headed eagle, the apple of state on its breast.

Rev.: MONETA.ARGENTEA.CARLOPOLI.CVSSA. (Silver coin struck in Charleville) Four columns forming a cross. In the middle is a shield with nine divisions containing the arms of Paleolog, Lombardia, Gonza, Constantinopol, Aragon, Montferrat, Saxony, Bar and Jerusalem.
Mad. 2058; Sch. 1495; P.d'A. 6128.

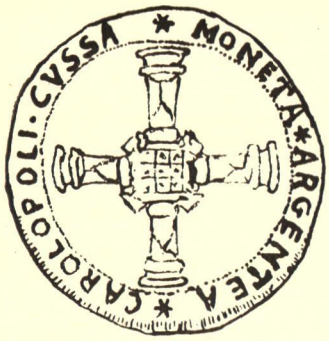
NOTE: In 1609 Charles II founded a town N. E. of Rethel, which he named after himself—Charleville.

46. Ecu without date. Very Rare.

Obv.: Similar to #45, but D.G. instead of DEI.GRA.

Rev.: MONETA.NOVA.ARGENTEA.CARLOPOLI.CVSA. (New silver coin struck in Charleville) Similar to #45.
Sch. 1496.

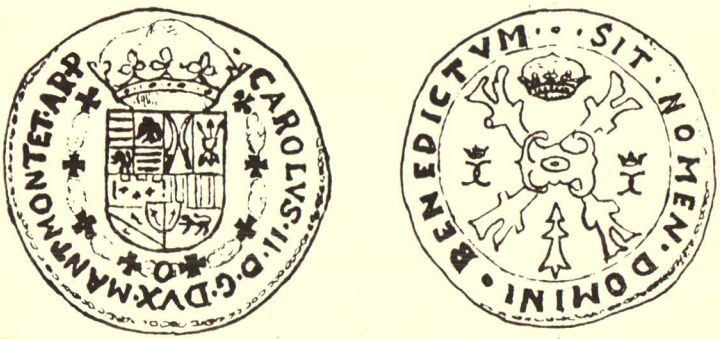
NOTE: Charles I of Rethel lived in XV century, therefore Charles Gongaza (1601-1637) was actually Charles II of Rethel. However, at the same time, he was Charles I, Duke of Mantua, and therefore also used that title on his coins struck for Nevers and Rethel. His son Charles III of Rethel, used a title of Charles II.



47. Ecu without date. Very Rare.

Obv.: CAROLVS.I.DEI.G.DVX.MANTVAE.VIII.ET.MON.FER.VI. (Charles I, by the Grace of God, Eighth Duke of Mantua and Sixth Duke of Montferrat) Imperial eagle, the apple of state on its breast.

Rev.: MONETA.ARGENTEA.CARLOPOLI.CVSSA. Columns forming a cross, shield with nine divisions.
Mad. 4491; Sch. 1497; Vogel 4025.



CHARLES III GONZAGA, 1637-1659

48. Patagon without date. (P.d'A. "Ecu") Rare.

Obv.: CAROLVS.II.D.G.DVX.MANT.ET.AR.P. (Charles II by the Grace of God, Duke of Mantua and Prince of Arches) Crowned shield surrounded by the chain of the Order of St. Savior.

Rev.: SIT.NOMEN.DOMINI.BENEDICTVM (Be blessed the Name of the Lord) Crowned Burgundian cross. On each side are small crowned monograms of crossed C's.
P.d'A. 6175.

ORANGE

Orange is located within the present department of Vaueluse in southern France. At the end of the 14th century it passed from the House de Baux to the House de Chalon. In 1530 Philibert de Chalon died without heirs, and the principality passed to his nephew, Rene of the House of Nassau. Rene also died without heirs, and his first cousin William, who became famous in history as William the Silent, founder of the Dutch republic, succeeded him.

Being a friend of Emperor Charles V he became governor of Holland, Zeeland and Utrecht, and when Philip II of Spain, son of Charles V, attempted to subdue the Netherlands, William became the leader in the war for independence. After a long conflict part of Netherlands was liberated and he was elected a stadtholder of the new Dutch republic. Philip II set a price on his head and William was assassinated in 1584.

His descendants followed his policy of liberation of the Netherlands and spent most of their time there. His son, Maurice, became one of the greatest generals of his time. His grandson, William IX, died in 1650 and was succeeded by his son, William Henri, born during the same year.

In 1672 William Henri was proclaimed stadtholder of the Dutch republic, the policies and alliances of which were adverse to those of Louis XIV of France, who took Orange and demolished its fortifications.

In 1688 William Henri, at the invitation of prominent English statesmen, overthrew his father-in-law, James II, and in 1689 he became William III, king of England. He died in 1702. During the beginning of the 18th century the House of Bourbon-Conti was granted the titles of Princes of Orange, but no coins were struck. The dollars are rare.

WILLIAM THE SILENT, 1544-1584

49. Ecu or taler 1560. Very Rare.

Obv.: MO:NOVA:GVIL:3:D:G:PRIN:AVRAI:NASS: (New coin of William 3rd, by the Grace of God, Prince of Orange Nassau) Crowned arms.

Rev.: MANV.TENEBO.NASSAV.1560.P. (I shall maintain Nassau) Bust in armor facing right.

Mad. 1367; P.d'A. 4566; Reim 4260. According to Madai, the letter P after the date may be the initial of a mint master.

NOTE: William the Silent was William VIII of Orange and William III of Nassau. He used his Nassau title on this coin.

PHILIP-WILLIAM, 1584-1618

Eldest son of William the Silent.
No dollar size silver coins were struck during his reign.

MAURICE, 1618-1625

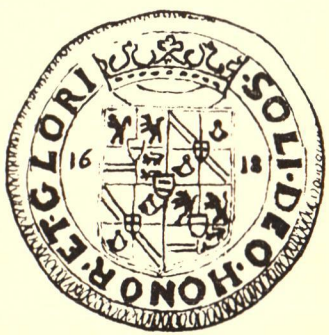
Brother of Philip

50. Ecu or taler without date.

Obv.: MAVRITIVS.D.G.PR.AVR.COM.NAS.CATZ.VIAND.MOERS.Z. (Maurice, by the Grace of God, Prince of Orange, Count of Nassau, Katzenellbogen, Vianen, Meurs, etc.) His bearded bust in armor facing, bare head.

Rev.: SOLI.DEO.HONOR.ET GLORIA. (To God alone be Glory and Honor) Crowned arms.

Madai 3842. Reim. 4266—Similar, but date 1622 is over the crown.



51. Ecu or taler 1618-1622.

Obv.: MAVRITIVS.I.D.G.PRIN.AVR.CO.NA. (Maurice I, by the Grace of God, Prince of Orange, Count of Nassau) His bust in armor.
Rev.: SOLI DEO.HONOR.ET.GLORI. Crowned shield dividing date.
1618—P.d'A. 4585
1622—Mad. 1368

FREDERIC-HENRI, 1625-1647
Youngest son of William the Silent.

No dollar-size silver coins were struck during his reign.

WILLIAM IX, 1647-1650
Son of Frederic-Henri

52. Ecu 1649, 1650.

Obv.: GVILLELMVS.D.G.PRIN.AVR. (William, by the Grace of God, Prince of Orange) His bust facing right.
Rev.: SOLI.DEO.HONOR.ET.GLORIA. and date. Crowned shield with three fleur de lis and hunting horn of Nassau.
1649—Mad. 1369; Duby XXVII, 4
1650—P.d'A. 4626

53. Ecu 1650

Similar to #52, but the name reads GVILLEMVS. P.d'A. 4627.

WILLIAM-HENRI, 1650-1702

54. Ecu 1652.

Obv.: GVILLELMVS.HENR.D.G.PRIN.AVR. (William Henri, by the Grace of God, Prince of Orange) Bust of the two year old child facing right.
Rev.: SOLI.DEO.HONOR.ET.GLORIA.1652. (the 2 in date is turned around) Crowned shield with four clover leaves and a hunting horn of Nassau.
Mad. 1370; P.d'A. 4634.

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THE EMERGENCY CURRENCY OF LEYTE COMMONWEALTH OF THE PHILIPPINES

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There are many paper varieties. The 20, 10 and 5 peso notes are printed on medium weight white wove paper. Denominations from the 2 peso notes down are printed on manila wrapping paper of many types, and even, in some cases, on thin cardboard and "butcher paper."

Of the 1,400,000 pesos printed, 1,100,280.20 pesos were actually put into circulation.

The notes are now (1945) being redeemed at face and destroyed. They will soon entirely disappear from circulation and promise to become quite rare in the near future.

PART FOUR

Catalog of Second Issue Notes

Figure No. 7

TWENTY CENTAVOS TYPE I

Obverse: Body—Black
Commonwealth seal—Red
Left and right borders, banana trees

Reverse: Body—Black
Serial Number—Black
Facsimile signature "Proceso Kadavero" handstamped in red ink
Light weight manila wrapping paper

Figure No. 8

TWENTY CENTAVOS TYPE II

Obverse: Body—Olive green
Serial number—Red
Left, banana tree; right, seal of Commonwealth incorporated as part of plate

Reverse: Body—Olive green
Facsimile signature "Proceso Kadavero" handstamped in red ink
Light weight manila wrapping paper

Figure No. 9

FIFTY CENTAVOS TYPE I

Obverse: Body—Black
Commonwealth seal—Magenta
Left and right borders, coconut palms

Figure No. 7

Figure No. 8

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Figure No. 11

Reverse: Body—Black
Serial number—Black
Facsimile signature "Proceso Kadavero" handstamped in magenta ink.
Light weight manila wrapping paper

10. FIFTY CENTAVOS: Type II

Appearance unknown

Figure No. 11

ONE PESO TYPE I

Obverse: Body—Black
Commonwealth seal—Red
Left, head of an antelope

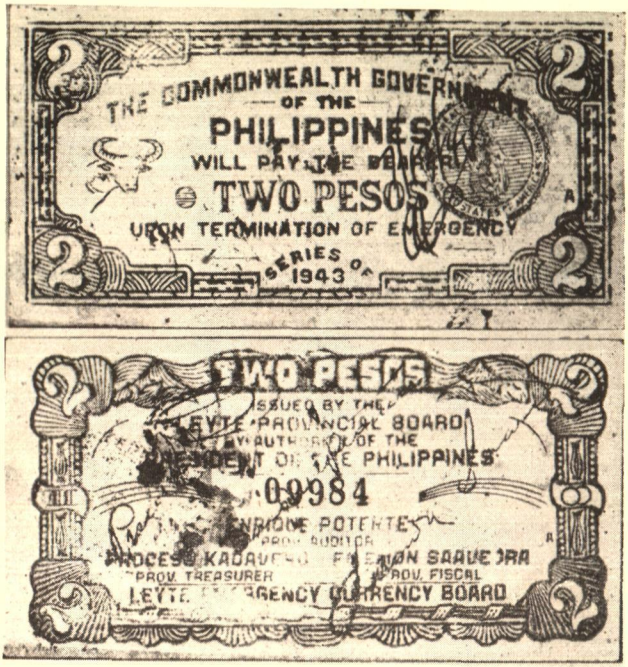
Reverse: Body—Black
Serial number—Black
Facsimile signatures of Emergency Currency Board handstamped in brownish-black ink
Manila wrapping paper of various weights

Figure No. 12

ONE PESO TYPE II

Obverse: Body—Purple
Serial number—Magenta
Left, head of an antelope; right, Commonwealth seal incorporated in design of plate

Reverse: Body—Purple
Facsimile signatures of Emergency Currency Board handstamped in magenta ink
"Butcher paper" of various weights



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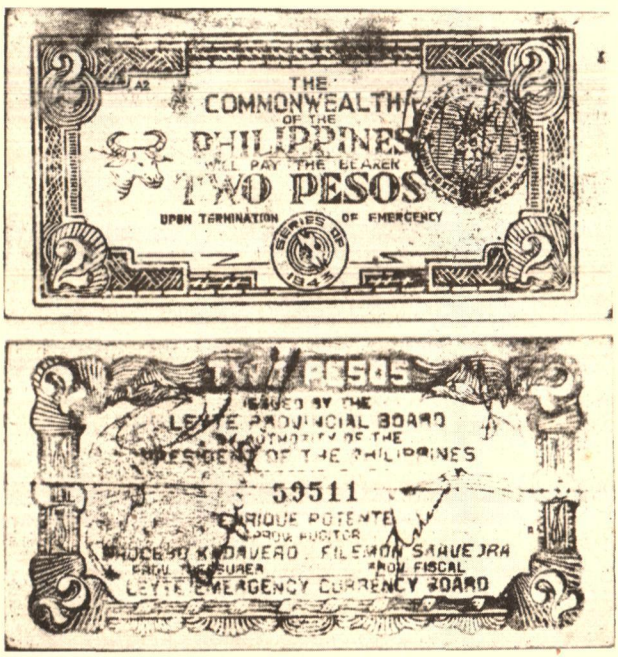

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Figure No. 13

TWO PESOS TYPE I

Obverse: Body—Black
Commonwealth seal—Red
Left, head of carabao

Reverse: Body—Black
Serial number—Black
Facsimile signatures of Emergency Currency Committee handstamped in red ink
Manila wrapping paper of various weights

Figure No. 14

TWO PESOS TYPE II

Obverse: Body—Bluegreen
Commonwealth seal—Magenta
Left, head of a carabao

Reverse: Body—Bluegreen
Serial number—Magenta
Facsimile signatures of Emergency Currency Board handstamped in magenta ink
Light colored manila paper of various weights

Figure No. 15

Figure No. 15

FIVE PESOS

Obverse: Body—Brown
Commonwealth seal—Brown, incorporated as part of plate
Serial number—Black
Left, native village

Reverse: Body—Green
Facsimile signatures of Emergency Currency Board handstamped in brownish-black ink
Medium weight wove paper, white

Figure No. 16

TEN PESOS

Obverse: Body—Black
Commonwealth seal—Red
Serial numbers—Red
Left, rice terraces

Reverse: Body—Red
Facsimile signatures of Emergency Currency Board handstamped in black ink
Medium weight wove paper, white

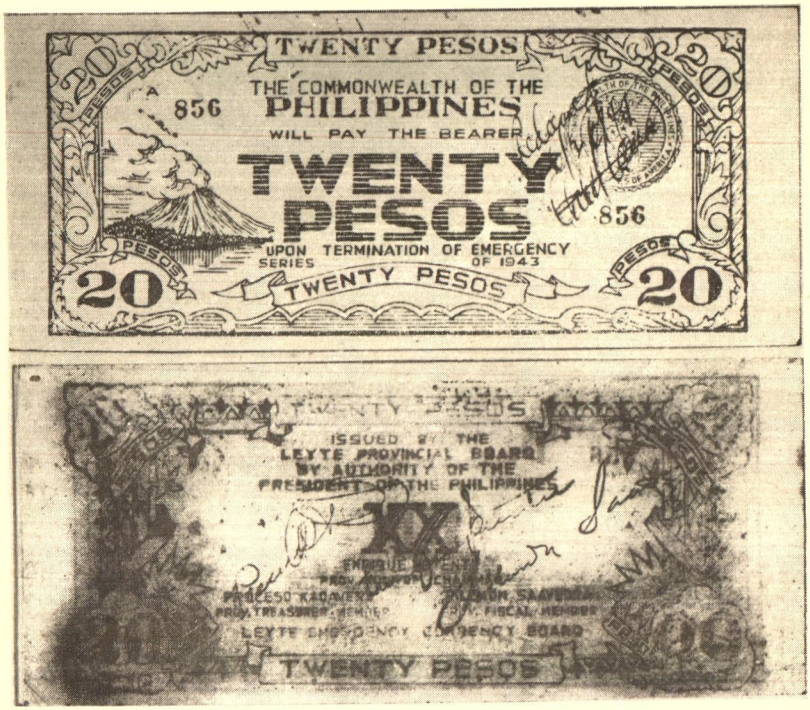

Figure No. 17

TWENTY PESOS

Obverse: Body—Black
Commonwealth seal—Red
Serial numbers—Red
Left, Mount Mayan

Reverse: Body—Light bluish green
Facsimile signatures of Emergency Currency Board handstamped in red ink
Lower left and right, pineapple plants
Medium weight white wove paper

TAX TOKENS OF THE FREE CITY OF NUREMBERG IN THE 17TH AND 18TH CENTURIES

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(A paper presented to the Bronx Coin Club, New York)

Taxes have been with humankind probably as long as organized states have existed and although every 15th of March we feel that they probably have never been quite as burdensomc as this year, we nevertheless realize that they are not a new invention. It may be more of a surprise, however, to some of us that tax tokens are not a modern invention either.

A tax token, to attempt a definition, is a token issued by the public authority which will be accepted at a certain value for the payment of taxes only, whereas otherwise it has no legal value as a medium of circulation. A

shortage of small change or other reasons may, however, cause it to circulate as de facto money, nonetheless.

Very much like our own or any other government, the Free City of Nuremberg had two main sources of revenue, namely direct taxes which were called "Losung" and indirect taxes which were called "Ungeld."

Tax tokens, or as they were called at the time "symbols" were used for the payment of both kinds of taxes.

The "Ungeld" goes back to the earliest times of the City. Originally it was a tax payable to the Emperor or the "Burggrave," his local representative, the latter eventually receiving a grant from the Emperor to keep the money for himself.

At that time the citizens were exempt from the tax and it was therefore applied only to the rural population.

It is somewhat doubtful when the city authorities obtained the right to collect "Ungeld" for themselves and impose the payment on the citizens. Will * claims that this was in 1397, but even then the tax was payable only on wine brought into the City from the outside, so that actually it was a customs duty rather than a tax. In fact, the "Ungeld" and the customs duties (accises) or "Zoll" remain closely connected in the fiscal system of the City and in later days the distinction actually was that the "Ungeld Amt," that is the office collecting the "Ungeld" was concerned with the tax on beverages only, whereas the "Zollamt," that is the office collecting the duty was concerned with the tax on everything else.

The citizens did not long remain exempt from the "Ungeld." Will says that they first became subject to it during the reign of Emperor Sigismund (1410-1437). The tax originally was on wine only, but when the wine consumption decreased in favor of the consumption of beer, it was in 1546 placed on beer, too.

After the war with Margrave Albert Alcibiades of Brandenburg-Bayreuth a further tax in 1576 was imposed on grain, and this notwithstanding the fact that the City and its allies had won the war and were in complete occupation of the territory of the Margrave, who had been outlawed by the Emperor for his ruthless aggression against his neighbors.

As for the mode of payment the tax on wine and grain was paid when the import actually took place, whereas the tax on beer and wine products such as vinegar was paid annually by the manufacturers in the city itself.

The "Losung" was simply an income tax. It goes back to the very early days of the City and was paid annually by the inhabitants.

Tokens were used for all these payments.

Originally the Losungsamt used the current coins countermarked with a monogram consisting of the letters L and O for "Losung." The coins used were the gold florin of 1604, the silver guldengroschen of 1605 and the half guldengroschen of 1608. The Ungeldamt, on the other hand, issued special coins which resemble the current coins except for a V for "Ungeld" integrated in the design. These tokens did not always contain their full face value in metal, as did the current coins, but are sometimes found in base compositions. They are undated, but appear to have been issued around 1600.

1621 Tax—Silver Half Guilder

* Will, "Nuernbergische Nuenzbelustigungen," Preface to Vol. IV.

1621 Tax Gold Guilder

In 1616 and 1621 tokens were issued jointly for the "Ungeld" and the "Losung" which departed considerably from the design of the current coins and bear the inscription "NUMMUS AUREUS (or ARGENTEUS) PRO AERARIO REIPUBLICAE NORIBERG." They show a combined monogram of the letters LO and V, and are rarely found in silver or gold, but mostly in base composition, sometimes gilt or silvered.

1713 Token for Direct Taxes, Indirect Taxes, and Customs Duties (Losungs-Zoll, and Ungeld-Zeichen.)

1744 "Citizen's Guilder."

Later, in the 18th century, in 1713, a silver token was issued jointly for "Losung," "Ungeld," and "Zoll" and in 1744 two large copper tokens called "a citizens florin" and "a citizens half florin" for "Losung" only.

These tokens were sold at a stated price and were used for payment of the taxes at face value. The tax therefore could be changed by the simple expedient of changing the price of the tokens, while outwardly the tax rate remained the same. Apparently the custom of using these tokens for tax payments continued during the entire existence of the Free City (that is until 1806.) At any rate Will in 1767 seems to imply that they were still being used, and in 1806 the Bavarian Government, after taking the Free City over, sold fairly large numbers of the tokens at auction, which had been found in the City Hall. They were melted down by the purchasers and therefore all the tokens are scarce to-day, the older ones being almost unobtainable.

1744 "Citizen's Half Guilder."

The question now remains why these tokens were used at all and here I can merely rely on the explanation given by Christopher Frederick Dannreuther, a Nuremberg jurist, in a dissertation published in 1746. Dannreuther says that the taxes were paid by changing regular money into these tokens or symbols at the tax collector's office and that the symbols themselves then were on a certain day exhibited in the tax collector's office to the highest officials of the City as evidence that the taxes had been actually paid, whereafter the payment was recorded in the City's books. Dannreuther furthermore adds that the tokens may also have been the symbols of the right of the city authorities to collect taxes at all, which right of the public authority is, as he adds, already confirmed in the Bible.

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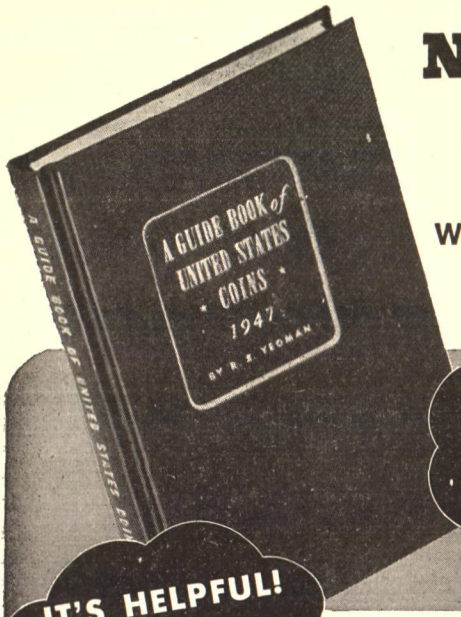

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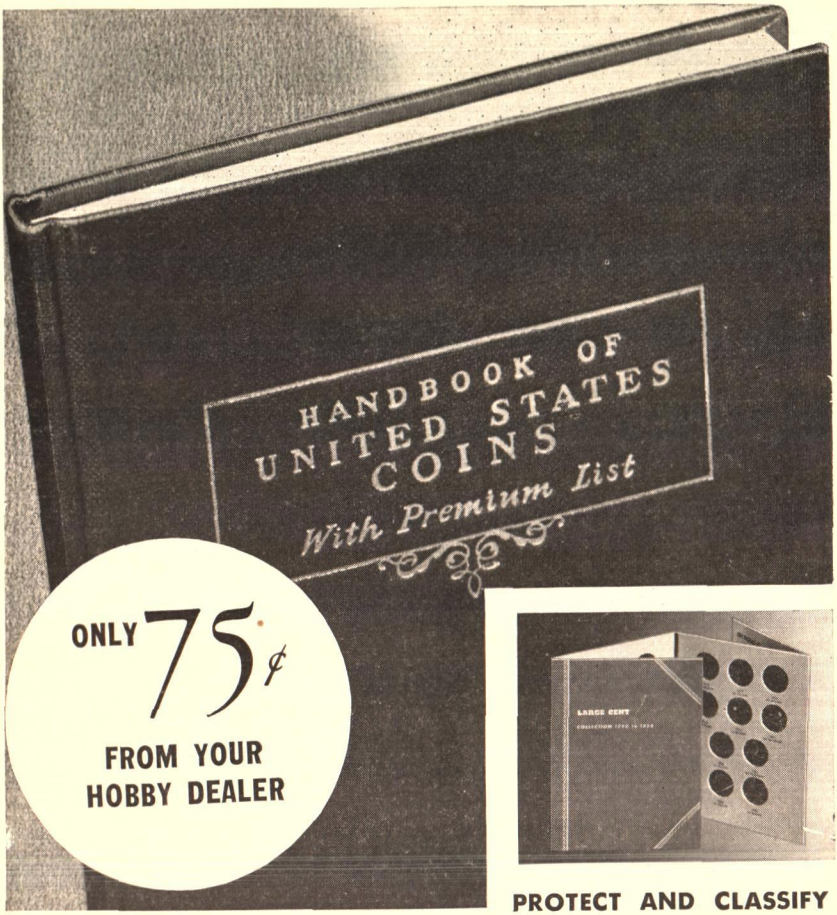

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1892 Isabella Quarter ..... $ 9.00
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1892 Columbian 1.25
1893 Columbian 1.00
1920 Maine 4.75
1920 Pilgrim 2.00
1921 Pilgrim 6.50
1921 Missouri 27.50
1921 Alabama 2x2 ..... 16.00
1922 Grant 2.50
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1925 Norse medal, thin 6.00
1925 Norse medal, thick 2.50
1925 Lexington-Concord 3.00
1925 Stone Mountain 1.25
1926 Oregon 2.25
1926 Oregon S mint 2.25
1927 Vermont 5.50
1933 Oregon D mint 6.50
1934 Maryland 2.50
1934 Texas 2.50
1934 Boone 2.00
1935 Boone 2.00
1935 Boone D mint 4.00
1935 Boone S mint 4.00
1935 Arkansas 2.25
1935 Arkansas D mint 4.50
1935 Arkansas S mint 4.50
1935 San Diego 2.25
1935 Old Spanish Trail 12.50
1935 Texas set of 3 ..... 6.50
1936 Arkansas set of 3 ..... 5.50
1936 Rhode Island set of 3 ..... 7.00
1936 Boone 2.00
1936 Texas set of 3 ..... 6.50
1936 Oregon 2.50
1936 Oregon S mint 6.50
1936 Cleveland 1.50
1936 Wisconsin 2.25
1936 York County 2.25
1936 Bridgeport 2.50
1936 Lynchburg 3.50
1936 Elgin 2.25
1936 San Francisco 3.50
1936 Columbia set of 3 ..... 8.50
1936 Arkansas 1.75
1937 Roanoke 3.00
1937 Boone 2.25
1937 Oregon 2.00
1936 Delaware 3.00
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1892 Columbian 1.00 Proof ..... $ 5.00
1893 Columbian ..... .90
1893 Isabella Quarter 8.50
1900 Lafayette Dollar 12.50
1915 Panama Pacific 18.50
1918 Lincoln 2.75
1920 Maine 5.00
1920 Pilgrim 2.00
1921 Pilgrim 6.00
1921 Alabama, Plain 7.00
1921 Alabama 2x2 Abt Unc 12.00
1922 Grant with Star, usual die defects 58.50
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1925 Norse American Medal 2.25
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1935 Old Spanish Trail 12.50
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1936 Bridgeport 2.25
1936 Cleveland 1.50
1936 Columbia Set of P.D.&S ... 8.50
1936 Elgin 2.25
1936 Long Island 1.50
1936 Rhode Island Set of 3 .... 6.75
1936 Arkansas Robinson 1.75
1936 San Diego 2.25
1936 Wisconsin 2.25
1936 Maine York County 2.00
1937 Roanoke Island 2.75
1935 Arkansas Set P.D.&S 10.50
1936 Arkansas Set P.D.&S 5.25
1935 Boone Set P.D.&S 9.50
1936 Boone Set of 3 ..... 10.50
1937 Boone P mint 2.00
1926 Oregon Trail P mint 2.00
1926 Oregon Trail S mint 2.00
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1937 Oregon Trail 2.00
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MEXICAN NUMISMATIC NOTEBOOK

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The idea for a looseleaf Mexican Numismatic Notebook has been with me for several years while I have been collecting material about Mexico. Across the Rio Grande is a country whose civilization far antedates our own, and whose coins, bills, tokens, and medals are as exciting as its history of wars, revolutions, and peace.

Mexico is a natural field for numismatic interest.

This Notebook which I propose, if enough are interested, will be contained in a handsome gilt stamped black stiff leatherette 3 ring binder 6″ x 9½″. In its many divisions it will have much material, yet it will not be a "hand-me-down" publication. Individually added notes will make it a prized personal possession, and will increase the pleasure of numismatics.

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1878-7	1.50			
1878-CC	2.00		5.50	
1878-S	1.50		2.50	
1879		1.50	2.50	
1879-CC	2.00	3.00		
1879-S	1.35	1.60		
1879-O		4.00	10.00	
1880	1.50	1.75		
1880-CC	3.00			
1880-O	2.00	3.00		
1880-S	1.50		2.50	2.00
1881	1.50			2.00
1881-CC	3.00			
1881-O	2.00	3.00		
1881-S		1.50	2.50	
1882				1.50
1882-CC			5.00	
1882-O	1.75	2.50		
1882-S	1.50		3.50	
1883	1.50	2.00		
1883-CC			5.00	
1883-O		2.50		
1883-S	1.50	2.00		
1884	1.50		3.50	
1884-CC			3.50	
1884-O	1.50		3.50	
1884-S	2.00	3.00		
1885	1.50	2.00	4.00	
1885-O				3.00
1885-S	3.00			
1885-CC		3.00		
1886	1.50			
1886-O	2.50			
1886-S			2.50	1.50
1887	2.00	2.50		
1887-O	2.50			
1887-S			2.50	
1888	1.50		3.00	
1888-O	3.00	5.00	10.00	7.00
1888-S			2.50	
1889	1.50			3.50
1889-CC			7.50	
1889-O	2.00	4.00		
1889-S			2.50	
1890	1.50	2.00		
1890-CC	1.25		3.00	
1890-O	1.40		3.00	2.00
1891	1.50	2.00		
1891-CC	1.50			2.50

	VG	F	VF	UNC
1891-O	2.50	4.00		
1891-S		1.75		2.40
1892 Proof	10.00			
1892-CC		3.00		
1892-O	2.00	3.00		
1892-S	2.00	3.00	12.00	
1893-CC	3.00			
1893-O				12.50
1893-S	20.00			
1894-O	2.50			
1894-S	2.50			5.00
1895-S		5.00		
1896-O	1.50	2.50		
1896-S	2.00	3.00		
1897-O	2.00	3.00		
1897-S		1.50		3.00
1898-O	2.00			
1898-S		2.00		
1899-O	2.50	4.50	5.00	
1899-S		2.00		3.00
1900-O	1.50	2.00	4.00	10.00
1900-S	1.50			2.50
1901	1.50			
1901-O	2.00	3.00	5.00	
1901-S	1.50	2.00		6.50
1902		2.00	3.00	
1902-O		3.00		
1902-S		1.50		3.00
1903			3.00	
1903-S	10.00			
1904			1.50	2.00
1904-O		3.00	6.00	15.00
1904-S		1.50		4.00
1921				3.00
			Proof	50.00
1921-D				3.00
1921-S			1.50	3.00

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1864-L V-Fair	2.90	1874 Fair .35; Good	.65
1864-L Good 3.90; VG	4.90	1874 VG .85; Fine	1.10
1864-L Abt. Fine 6.50; Fine	9.50	1875 Fair .45; Good	.75
1866 V-Fair .75; Good	1.00	1875 VG 1.10; Very Fine	2.50
1866 VG 1.50; Very Fine	3.85	1876 Good .75; VG	1.25
1867 Good 1.25; VG	1.75	1876 Very Fine	4.75
1867 Fine	2.75	1877 Good	6.75
1868 Fair .50; Good	1.25	1908-S Good 1.50; VG	1.90
1868 VG 1.75; Fine	3.00	1908-S Abt. Fine	2.25
1869 Good 1.35; VG	1.90	1908-S Fine	2.50
1869 Fine 2.25; Very Fine	4.25	1908-S Very Fine	3.25
1870 Fair 1.00; Good	1.50	1908-S Ex. Fine	4.25
1870 VG 2.50; Fine	3.75	1909-S Very Good	8.25
1871 Good 2.25; VG	3.50	1909-S Abt. Fine	10.00
1871 Fine 4.75; Ex. Fine	9.50	1909-S Fine	12.00
1872 V-Fair 2.00; Good	2.75	1909-S Very Fine	14.50

COMMEMORATIVE HALVES (Brilliant)

1892 Columbian	1.20	1936 Lynchburg	3.50
1893 Columbian	1.00	1936 Rhode Island, PDS Set	7.25
1915 Panama Pacific	18.95	1936 Norfolk	4.50
1918 Lincoln	2.95	1936 Robinson	1.75
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	3 rolls	1 roll
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1879	.15
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1885	.45
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1889 to 1896 Each	.65
1897 to 1900 Each	.20
1901 to 1912 Each	.09
1912-D	.20
1912-D F. VF.	.85
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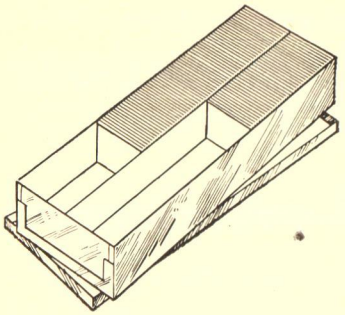

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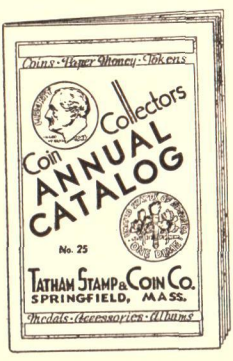

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The subject assigned to me for discussion tonight is the "Varieties of Large Cents." To attempt to enumerate and discuss all the varieties of large cents would require more time than we have at our disposal. In discussing the varieties of large cents, let us consider some of the more interesting varieties; and, for the sake of brevity, skim over the others with perhaps only a mention, if that much.

Just how many varieties are known and described? I am not in a position to say, but there are many. The number of varieties could be determined by checking the works of Doughty, Crosby, Newcomb, and others, but that fact in itself would not be worth the effort and would be of doubtful interest. There are at least 60 recognized varieties of the 1794 cent, in fact, more varieties than any other one year.

As you all know, the first year of the large cents was 1793, of which, according to Doughty, there are three types: the Chain, the Wreath, and the Liberty Cap. In referring to three types please understand that I do not mean them as varieties. Of the first type, the Chain, Doughty lists and describes four varieties, the first of which is the rarest of the 1793 cents and is described as follows: Obverse has Liberty head facing right with short, disheveled hair; the word Liberty at top and the date at bottom. The reverse has the words, UNITED STATES OF AMERI. with a chain of 15 links, and the words, ONE CENT, with fraction 1/100 inside the chain; a dot between the "E" and the "N" just below the upper line of these letters. The edge has a vine with leaves and bars arranged in alternate sections.

Of the Wreath, or second type mentioned there are 7 varieties listed by Doughty, the rarest of which has acquired the name of "Clover Leaf" variety, also called by some writers the "Strawberry Leaf" type. Doughty says the sprig is not a Strawberry, but in reality, a sprig of Laurel. As to regards of the rarity of this type, no perfect specimens are known. The sprig of Laurel referred to appears above the date on the obverse side.

The third, or Liberty Cap type has five varieties. A brief general description is head of Liberty to right; behind the head on the left, a short staff supporting a Liberty Cap; above the head the word, LIBERTY with date at bottom. The reverse, with small variations, is similar to the cents of later date. The five varieties of the Liberty Cap cents of 1793 differ only slightly and it is believed that all were from one "hub Die," the various points of difference being the work of the graver.

The next year, 1794, has, as mentioned before, 60 or more varieties. One wonders why there should be so many, all so similar generally; yet with slight points of difference. Sloppy, careless workers, inefficient equipment, old broken and worn out dies, and apparently, a general attitude of blundering indifference, account for most of the varieties. The first attempt at classification of the cents of 1794 was made by Dr. Edward Maris, of Philadelphia, about 1872. It is interesting to note

some of the names he used in describing and tabulating these cents. Among them were: 1793 head, double chin, abrupt hair, amiable face and forty, or more others, all of them being somewhat absurd and confusing. However, they have become accepted among collectors and are generally used in describing this series.

The cents of 1795 were of the Liberty Cap variety bearing a close resemblance to those of the preceding year.

The cents of 1796 are divided into two series, the Liberty Cap, or first series, and the "Draped Bust," or later type; there being several interesting varieties of each which we will omit for sake of brevity.

During 1797 fourteen obverse and reverse dies were used. Some of the cents of this year have reeded edges while others have the edges plain.

Coming to 1799 we find the rarest of all the large cents, of which, according to Doughty, there are but two varieties of obverse and two of reverse. Dr. Dickenson in his "American Numismatic Manual" of 1860 says that there are four varieties of the 1799 cent, but does not describe them. The cents of 1799 are never found in uncirculated condition. In fact, most of them are so worn that the date and their genuineness could be questioned. It seems strange that the 1799 cents should be so rare when, according to mint records, 904,585 were coined. Something must have happened to a large quantity of them. There is a story of large quantities being shipped to the coast of Africa by a firm in Salem, Mass., but this story is not now credited. Anyway, whatever happened, the cents of 1799 are among the rarest of the rare. It is the hope and wish of large cent collectors that a hoard will turn up some day, and we can all obtain a specimen in uncirculated condition for a dollar and a quarter; but then, who would want one, because they would then no longer be rare.

In 1808 the type changes again. The Draped Bust is changed to the Liberty Head, entirely different and much improved from an artistic point of view. Also for the first time the head faces to left. The obverse of 1808 is often referred to as the "Turban Head" for some strange reason, as no Turban exists.

Large cents were coined from 1793 to 1857, there being issues of every year except 1815, during which year none was coined. From 1816 on, the number of varieties decreases. The year 1817 is interesting because of two varieties of obverse, one having 13 stars, the other having 15 stars, the 15-star coin being scarcer.

With the exception of 1821 and 1823, which years are getting scarce, most of the later varieties are fairly common in fine condition. While all are of the same general type, they have small points of difference of interest, mainly to a collector specializing in Large Cents.

To my way of thinking, the collecting and study of the many varieties of large cents is the most interesting of the American series of coins. Then too, there is something fascinating about copper metal. All the different shades of color, ranging from jet black to brilliant red, not to mention shades of green and purple, have a strong appeal to the imagination.

What a story some of these old cents could tell if they could talk. Picture your great grandfather walking down a dusty country road to the general store with a couple of bright, shiny 1799's jingling in his jeans and candy on his mind! Think what these same two cents would buy today; and, remember, those were the days when a cent was money, too.

In closing, I am reminded of the story attributed to the late Will Rogers. Some one asked him what was the most *interesting* thing he ever talked about. His answer was, "*about* three minutes!" Thank you for your attention.

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By F. XAVIER CALICO, A. N. A. 14238, Barcelona, Spain

Dr. P. I. de Jesús, published in the April issue of "The Numismatist" an interesting article titled "Early Coins of the Philippines."

The work of the author is of positive interest as it means an appreciable contribution to the study of the numismatics concerning those Islands.

However, there is an error in that article which, although it only involves one single coin, we think it advisable to point it out for it is exactly the only coin, of the size of the dollar expressly struck by the Spaniards to be circulated in the Philippine Islands, as it is known, that the others were restruck or countermarked upon other pieces.

We are referring to the coin of one peso of Alfonso XIII, 1897. In the article in question, it is shown with No. 29, and the author says: "Figure 29, One Peso of Alfonso XIII, 1897, struck in **VALENCIA**, Spain, for the use of the Philippines then under Spanish sovereignty."

The author does not mention on what grounds he bases his assertion, that this coin was struck in Valencia, but we can imagine them.

Indeed, as it can be seen by the enlarged photograph which we show of the reverse of this coin, in the part corresponding to the lower right half, between the last letter of the mention **PESO** and that of **FILIPINAS**, the letter **"V"** is represented, which was probably interpreted as a mark of the coining mint of Valencia by Dr. P. I. de Jesús, but, in reality, this initial, as well as the letters **"S.G."** represented on the opposite side of the same coin, have a very different meaning and they are the exact proof that this coin was struck in Madrid.

The rules of the Royal Mint House of Madrid appointed several senior clerks, each of whom was in charge of a given task.

The job entrusted to some of these officials was of such importance that they were entitled to mark their own initials upon the coins to vouch for the authenticity of the coinage under supervision.

One of these was the so called "Juez de Balanza" (Weigher).

By the law of Oct. 19, 1868, it was authorised to the "Juez de Blanza" to initial on each coin belonging to the coinage that was being verified.

The letter "V" that we suppose is the cause of the error, is the initial of the "Juez de Balanza," named Don Remigio Vega y Vega, who discharged this post in the Mint House in Madrid since Aug. 31, 1893 until 1914, when he retired.

Other officials who also had the right to stamp their initials on the coins, were the Assayers, to whom the letters "S.G." refer, corresponding to Don Arturo Sandoval and Don Antonio Garcia Gonzalez, Assayers of the Madrid Mint, at the time when these coins were struck.

Therefore, as we have seen, the Alfonso XIII One Peso coins were struck in the Madrid Mint in the year 1897 and in accordance with statistics of this Mint, 6,000,006 pieces were struck.

The Madrid Mint has as a countersign, a six-pointed star, but used the five-pointed star on coins struck for the colonies, as it can be seen on the obverse of the above-mentioned coin.

We wish to avail ourselves of this occasion to advise the convenience to all those who may desire to study Spanish matters in this line, to try to acquaint themselves directly from Spain proper.

In spite of the destruction and disappearance occurred in the last Spanish Civil War, the Spanish Records can be considered as an extraordinary source of information, mainly when the staff in charge of same is of a remarkable reliability as a consequence of a long and thorough career out of a constant study and labour and that this personnel is always anxious to give any information relating with their records.

There are few, in fact, very few investigations carried out in the Spanish Records, from which positive results are not obtained, because even those that cannot be secured in a definite way, yet they furnish items which compensate largely for the small effort which a consultation of this nature entails.

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BOOK REVIEWS

"NUMISMATICA" (formerly REVISTA NUMISMATICA.) Year 12, no. 1-2. January-April 1946. Rome, Piazza di Spagna 35.

Preceded by a red-letter appeal to its subscribers "to kindly pay up in order to avoid suspension," this celebrated Italian Numismatic Review contains several important articles in the field of ancient and European coins, occasionally illustrated by cuts or photographs.

Laura Breglia writes on coins of "Suessa Aurunca," the Campanian city, and N. Borelli adds another local story in his discussion of "The coins that circulated in the ancient markets of Campania;" a short article on "Artistic Aspects of Byzantine Coinage," by S. A. Luciani, is followed by a rather light-hearted, but fascinating study, "From the Stater to the Ducatoon"—conversations of Count Alexander Magnaguti. This is a story that will appeal to beginning collectors.

An extensive book review includes discussions of recent works, such as Stuart Mosher's "U. S. Commemorative Coins," and the Wayte Raymond publications on the coins of the two Americas. Editorial comments, much in the manner of The Numismatist's Editor's Corner are also present. Efforts are made to catch up with wartime publications, by briefly discussing them all the way back to 1941. A special page is dedicated to medals.

"Queries and Answers"—"Notes and Comments"—"New Issues" (including a most interesting pattern 80 Reales (sic!) 1943 of Spain)—"Free Forum"—"Commercial Notices"—"Cronicle" (the equivalent of our club minutes)—and pages of advertising matter very similar to that found in

The Numismatist make the Italian publication a remarkably well planned numismatic magazine along American lines.

Anyone with only a smattering of Italian should read this fine publication, which, it is hoped, will remedy its only drawback—lack of pictures—as conditions allow.—H. W. HOLZER

"NUMISMATICA" Special Volume, Years IX-XI, January 1943-December 1945. Lack of space does not permit adequate discussion of this "catch-up" volume, but it is full of interesting, useful and well-presented numismatic information, and runs to 92 pages plus advertising.

"Hercules on ancient coins," by Leonida Marchese is as excellent as one has come to expect from that source; "Dionysian types on coins," a short but interesting contribution by Signor Borreli; Dr. Fallani has written a somewhat formal study, with statistics and tables, of "Applications of the statistical method to the study of the earliest Roman coinage;" Professor Deliperi discusses the "function of the Incuse Square;" and Italian coins of the Middle Ages are the subject of several other short articles.

—H. W. HOLZER

"MITTEILUNGEN DER OESTERREICHISCHEN NUMISMATISCHEN GESELLSCHAFT" (Bulletin of the Austrian Numismatic Society). Vienna, no. 6, 1945. Just printed.

This number contains an article on the "Friesach" penny by Dr. Friedlinger-Pranter; an interesting article concerning the mint of the Windischgraz Family, by Dr. Doblinger; and various short announcements or notes, among which is the announcement that the Calendar Medal for 1946 has just been struck in both silver and zinc. You have to turn in an equal amount of silver (26 grams) to obtain one of the silver ones. Auction records of recent sales are also included.—H. W. HOLZER

"FOREIGN WAR MEDALS, ORDERS, & DECORATIONS." Illustrated catalogue by Gregory and Lenard L. Babin, illustrated by John E. Snitzel, Rochester, N. Y. $1.00, Stitched.

One may take issue with some of the valuations given for certain decorations, but it must be said that Mr. Babin's booklet is as good for the collector of war medals and decorations, as is Mr. Seaby's catalogue for the specialist in the English series. On its 24 pages, the catalogue gives clear, simple pen sketches of the most important modern orders and decorations, with their names and valuations.—H. W. HOLZER.

SEABY'S COIN AND MEDAL BULLETIN. Published monthly. 65 Gt. Portland St., London, W.1, England. During the last two years many improvements have been made in this publication and it is now a highly interesting numismatic magazine. Each issue contains several carefully prepared feature articles, reports of numismatic societies, and editorial comments. The August issue features an interesting article on the Deities and Personifications which appear on Roman coins. It lists and illustrates most of the familiar ones and is a splendid introduction to a subject of never ending interest.

Subscription rate has been 2/6 (50 cents) in the past but the publishers are now considering the possibility of increasing the size of the magazine and advancing the subscription rate to $1 a year. We believe both increases would be well received by the subscribers.—S. M.

A. N. A. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR 1947-1948

The following officers were elected for the coming year, by official ballots which were counted at the A. N. A. Convention held in Buffalo, New York, August 23 to 27.

President, Loyd B. Gettys; first vice president, M. Vernon Sheldon; second vice president, Harold R. Klein; general secretary, Lewis M. Reagan; treasurer, George H. Blake; librarian, T. R. Hammer.

Board of governors: Vernon L. Brown, Edward Fogler, Dr. J. Hewitt Judd, Col. Joseph Moss, R. S. Yeoman.

AN INTRODUCTION TO THE COINAGE OF EUROPE

By SELWYN R. MORT

(A paper read before the Numismatic Society of New South Wales, March 17, 1947.)

A paper of this general nature, touching only the edges of a huge field, can hardly contain much of value to advanced collectors; the best I can hope for is that it may put a few new ideas into the minds of members who have not yet outgrown the omnivorous stage—in which most of us begin our collections. The student of European coinages is heavily handicapped by the scarcity of available literature in the English language and, in fact of general literature in any language. There has been a vast amount of research spread over the last hundred years or more into the numismatic history of European states and cities, but the published results have usually appeared as monographs in periodicals or proceedings of various societies, and in the language of the country of origin. At the end of this paper I have particularised the mainstays of my own small reference library.

These remarks bear principally on the period since the revival of art, and the rapid expansion of international trade, which took place from about the 13th to the 15th century. The mediaeval coinage, comparatively crudely executed, and consisting principally of small silver, gave place to a bimetallic currency of gold and silver, the great trading republic of Venice in particular, and to a lesser extent of Florence, Pisa, and Genoa, taking a leading part in producing artistic and well executed coins of high standard, acceptable throughout the world of commerce.

In the 15th century, the silver-mining communities of Central Europe began what may be described as the "Era of the large silver coins" by producing the thaler, soon imitated in all the more advanced states by such coins as the English crown, the French ecu, the Italian scudo and tallero, the Spanish piastre, dollar, or piece of eight, and later, by the Russian ruble and others. The Spanish dollar in particular, with its offshoot, the Mexican dollar, coined from American silver, developed into an international currency from the 16th to the 19th century and enjoyed the confidence of the commercial world, notably in Eastern countries, until recent times. The use of large silver coins is now fading out, and giving place to a currency of cheaper metals or of paper. The display and the detail possible on these larger pieces has always attracted the best endeavours of artists and engravers and, later, the attention of wealthy and educated collectors in all walks of life.

Copper, the use of which for coinage in earlier times had almost ceased, except in Sicily, began to appear again about the 16th century, after which it crept into general use in all European countries. While not usually offering the detail associated with gold and silver, the older coppers exhibit many points of historical interest. Other subsidiary coinage which, like the copper, has been for local use only, often has been struck in silver of reduced standard, particularly in Central Europe, and now there is a general tendency to replace the smaller denominations by cheaper metals and alloys. Dating of coins commenced early in the 15th century, but did not become general for another hundred years. Milling, as a check on clipping, was adopted in France before 1553, in England for a few years only from 1561, but finally not until 1662. The raising of the edge, to obviate wear, is not much in evidence until about 1800.

Assuming that the collector is aiming at representation of the principal European coinages, one of his first problems will be to understand the legends, including abbreviations. For many centuries Latin was used almost exclusively but from time to time it has been superseded by the native tongue until now, I believe, Switzerland is the only continental country retaining Latin on the coinage. Consequently, in order to obtain the maximum of satisfaction from the study of a collection, one is required to have some little smattering at least of the principal modern languages and Latin, and acquire some familiarity with the abbreviations used. Personally, I must confess to the purchase of many a badly worn specimen for the pleasure of deciphering some unfamiliar legend.

A few examples illustrate the legends found and the widespread use of abbreviations:—A coin of Ferdinand III of Austria, 1638;—FERD(inandus III D(ei) G(ratia) R(omani) I(mperii) S(emper) A(ugustus) G(ermaniae) H(ungariae) B(ohemiae) REX ARCHIDVX A(ustriae) DVX B(urgundiae) C(omes) T(yrolis). One of George II of England and Hanover, 1736;—GEORG(ius) II D(ei) G(ratia) M(agnae) BR(itanniae) FR(anciae) ET HIB(erniae) REX F(idei) D(efensor) on obverse, bearing titles as king of England, and on the reverse the Hanoverian titles BR(unsvigae) ET LVN(enbergiae) DVX S(acri) R(omani) I(mperii) A(rchi)-TH(esaurus) ET EL(ector). Another, of Victor Amadeus of Savoy, 1795;—VIC(tor) AM(adeus) D(ei) G(ratia) REX SAR(diniae) CYP(riae) ET IER (osolymae) DVX SAB(audae) ET MONTISIFER(rat) PRINC(eps) PED &C. In all the above cases, claims are made to sovereignty over other lands long after such claims had lost all practical meaning.

As examples of old latin or latinised place names having little or no resemblance to the modern names, we have MOG. for MOGUNTIA, now Mainz or Mayence; ARGENTORATVM for Strasburg; TIGURINAE or THVRICENSIS for Zurich; GEDANENSIS for Danzig; TRAIECTUM for Utrecht or Maastricht. Many places in border districts which have suffered changes in sovereignty or which have mixed populations (as in Belgium or Switzerland) have names in two languages, e.g. Aix-la-Chapelle, Aachen; Gand; Ghent; Liege, Luttich; Geneve, Genf.

One will be struck by the great multiplicity of issuers, particularly in the earlier series and, in order to see the reasons for this, we must picture to ourselves communities largely selfcontained, lands poorly populated except near the towns, areas separated largely by forests, mountains, or rivers—barriers far more important than they are today—with roads few and far between, rough and dangerous. The nominal overall ruler, whether emperor or king, not very powerful at any distance from his capital, and the real power in the hands of local dukes, abbots, counts, bishops, etc., or free cities, each practically absolute in his own domain. A city might become powerful enough to cast off allegiance to the local ruler while admitting certain obligations to an emperor, who would be well satisfied to see the more powerful dukes or counts thus weakened.

For many centuries the poor communications were an obstacle to combination and the many independent authorities developed their own currencies, the smaller denominations for purely local use. As the populations increased and communications improved, adjoining communities tended to combine for trade and defence. Currencies were coordinated and we meet with issues sponsored jointly by groups of towns or states. Ultimately, as the larger states united under a central authority, the smaller sectional currencies disappeared. In the case of Germany, the lower denominations were made uniform while in the higher values the states retained a show of autonomy.

We find the nature of the currency influenced by the principal metals produced in each country. Portugal, Russia, Sweden—copper producers—all adopted a heavy copper coinage. From its own supplies, Russia coined the only general issues of platinum. The Fein-silber of the Anglo-Hanoverian series was mined, refined, minted and paid out as miners' wages all within the space of a few miles. This was the land of the German fairy tales with their wild men and their gnomes—who were the old silver miners themselves. Though not strictly within the scope of these notes, a rather similar feature appears in the case of Australian gold issued from Sydney, Melbourne, and Perth mints, and also in the gold and silver currency most popular in the metalliferous Western States of the U. S. A. during the latter half of last century while "greenbacks" were the vogue in the Eastern States. European currencies are, of course, rich in portraits of historical characters. There has been no room on the English coinage for portraits of military or political leaders other than the sovereigns (except Cromwell), but the coining rights of many prominent dukes, counts, bishops, etc. on the Continent have allowed us glimpses of their features, arms and armour, their costume, and, in some of their elaborate coats of arms, clues to their family history for generations back.

As regards the European coins most likely to appear in Australia: except for imports from overseas, one main source of supply would be from ordinary travellers and from crews of visiting ships, all consisting of current coins mainly contemporary. Most of the older coins would probably have been brought by immigrants as heirlooms or in collections. Of the European migrants to this country during the last century, many were of Germanic or Italian extraction. The Scandinavian and Greek elements are not inconsiderable. France, Spain, Portugal, Holland, and Belgium have all had colonies of their own sufficiently attractive to absorb the enterprising individuals from their surplus populations, if any, and Eastern Europeans have gravitated in greater proportions to North America than to Australia. For these reason, and because of their own historical and artistic interest, one is more likely to be attracted by the quantity and the quality of the coins of the German and Italian states than by those of most other European countries and, as a collection progresses, these will probably be the sections on which most information can be gleaned from numismatic and general literature. Correspondence with dealers and collectors overseas would lead to finding one of a hundred possible avenues any one of which might be capable of absorbing all the attention and all the surplus funds of any ordinary Australian taxpayer.

A few useful books of reference:—

COINAGE OF THE EUROPEAN CONTINENT (1893) and SUPPLEMENT (1897) by W. C. Hazlitt. These cover mediaeval and modern times and include invaluable lists of mints, denominations, and reigning sovereigns, as well as historical outlines of numismatic interest.

MANUEL DE NUMISMATIQUE (in French, 1890) by Adrien Blanchet. Packed full of valuable information, it stresses the French issues in particular, but is extremely useful also for other European states.

COINS OF BRITISH POSSESSIONS AND COLONIES (1889) by Atkins; the European section includes a very full catalogue of the Anglo-Hanoverian issues, 1714-1837.

COPPER COINS OF EUROPE (1892) by Higgins; a useful and well designed little book covering its particular field with a reasonable completeness. It was based, to some extent, on an illustrated price list published by the Scott Company of New York. Later issues of SCOTT'S CATALOGUES (Silver and Gold, 1910, Copper, 1913), though necessarily incomplete, cover a very large field. The copper catalogue is the more complete of the two and it contains summaries of monograms and heraldic devices, particularly useful for the identification of the coins of the Central European states and cities.

Later lists of modern coins, with estimated market values at the time of publication include COINS OF THE MODERN WORLD, from 1870 to 1936, (published 1936) by M. Comencini, and COINS OF THE WORLD, Twentieth Century Issues (1938 and 1945), by Wayte Raymond. The latter book appears to cover its whole field very thoroughly in its second edition and is very generously illustrated.

Closing this modest list is the small publication, COINS, by G. C. Heyde, while not devoted exclusively to European coinage, useful references have been assembled in concise form. I understand that a COIN COLLECTORS' ALMANAC has recently been published in the U. S. A.: not having seen it, I am unable to comment.

It is to be regretted that most of the above books are out of print so that a collector, unable to secure copies for his own private use, will have to depend upon library copies for reference. Valuable information may, of course, be gleaned from trade price lists and auction sale catalogues from first rate dealers and from articles in various journals. I regard as more or less necessary the following supplementary literature:—dictionaries of the languages most concerned, a general European history, an historical atlas of Europe, and a dictionary of dates.

During 1945 the United States Government sold gold values at $65,290,844 for the arts and industrial use.

New or Recent Issues

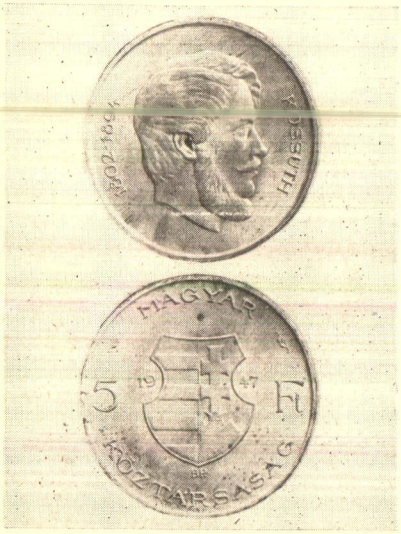
DESCRIBED BY ERNST KRAUS

It is the important duty of The Numismatist to record and illustrate all new issues. Members, both in the United States and abroad, are invited to submit new issues to Ernst Kraus, Room 1702, 444 Madison Avenue, New York, N. Y. The coins will be photographed and returned as soon as possible. A credit line will be given to every new issue described.

France

5 Francs, 1941. Nickel. Obverse: Head of Petain left. Inscription: PHILIPPE PETAIN MARECHAL DE FRANCE, CHEF DE LETAT. Reverse: Double axe, fasces. Inscription: TRAVAIL, FAMILLE, PATRIE, value, date and mint mark. (Robert Friedberg)

Hungary



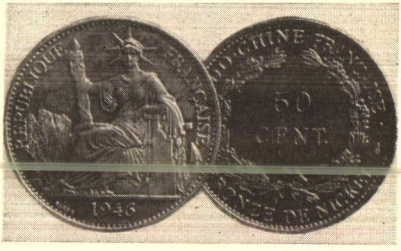
5 Forint, 1947. Silver. Obverse: Head of Kossuth right. 1802-1894. Reverse: Arms dividing date and value, mint mark on the bottom, inscription: MAGYAR KOZTARSASAG (Hungarian Republic.) (Paul F. Klaasesz)

Hyderabad

8 Annas

8, 4 & 2 Annas, 1943. Silver. Obverse: Building with minarets, Persian Ain in gateway, date 1362 A.H. below. Inscription on sides and top. Reverse: Value in inner circle, surrounded by Persian inscription. (Martin F. Kortjohn, George B. Sutherland)

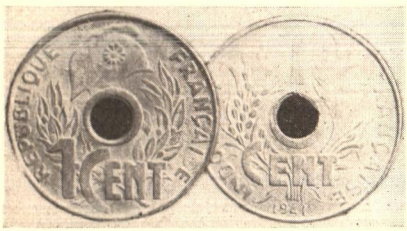
Indochina



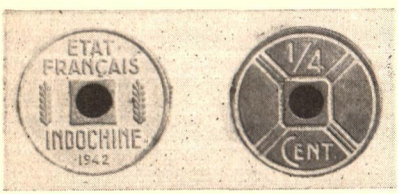
50 Centimes, 1946. Nickel bronze. Obverse: Seating figure holding fasces, date below. Inscription: REPUBLIQUE FRANCAISE. Reverse: Value in wreath, Inscription: INDOCHINE FRANCAISE, BRONZE DE NICKEL, mint mark. (Howard Gibbs.)

20 and 10 Centimes, 1945. Aluminum. Obverse: Bust of liberty, date below. Inscription: REPUBLIQUE FRANCAISE. Reverse: Riceplant, dividing value, inscription: INDOCHINE FRANCAISE, mint mark. (Howard Gibbs, Lauren Benson, Irving Mertik)

5 Centimes, 1943. Aluminum. Obverse: Crossed branches, date below, inscription: ETAT FRANCAIS. Reverse: Value, inscription: INDOCHINE. Holed planchet. (Howard Gibbs.)



1 Centime, 1941. Zinc alloy. Obverse: Liberty cap, crossed olive branches, value, inscription: REPUBLIQUE FRANCAISE. Reverse: Floral design, value, date, inscription: INDOCHINE FRANCAISE. Holed planchet. (Howard Gibbs.)



¼ Centime, 1942. Zinc alloy. Obverse: Inscription: ETAT FRANCAIS, INDOCHINE, date, two wheat stalks. Holed planchet. Reverse: four sectors, value. (Howard D. Gibbs.)

Jodhpur, Native State of India

¼ Anna (1 Paisa), Bronze. No date. Obverse: Persian inscription: George VI. Malik Anglistan, Hindostani. (King of England and India.) Nagari character, mint at Jodhpur and mint master. Reverse: Persian inscription: Shri Maharaja Diraj. Struck at Jodhpur.

No smaller coins than the 1 Paisa are at present in circulation, most coins have only a part of the above inscription. (Joseph E. Barr, translated by Prof. Ed. Zygman)

Monaco

5 Francs, 1945. Aluminum. Obverse: Head of ruler to left, inscription: LOUIS II. PRINCE DE MONACO. Reverse: Crowned arms, mint mark, date and value. (Robert Friedberg, George B. Sutherland)

Special Note

A number of collectors have sent in newspaper reports on new issues but as yet it has not been possible to use them. So as to avoid errors, we believe it best to wait until the coins can be examined and photographed. Just the same, the reports are greatly appreciated.

MISCELLANEOUS LIBRARY NOTES

By TED R. HAMMER, A. N. A. Librarian

P. O. Box 225, Marinette, Wisc.

If donations are as plentiful the remainder of the year as they were during July, the first month of the new fiscal year, we'll have to add another room to the library. There was plenty of variety in this group of fine offerings, too.

L. McCormick-Goodhart of Alexandria, Virginia, got us off to a good start with a contribution of bound volumes of Spink's Numismatic Circular for 1912-1919 inclusive.

Editor Stuart Mosher contributed several works including L-26, "The Stewart Lockhart Collection of Chinese Copper Coins," 196 pages, most of which are devoted to splendid plates. Here is an authoritative, interesting work, with 15 pages of introduction, 36 pages describing the plates—and the rest in illustrations. The student of Chinese coins will find thought-provoking sentences in the introduction; the collector who desires to know more about this subject will find much useful information including some authorities on Chinese money and monetary history. Also from Mr. Mosher came two booklets, "Some Coins of the Maukharis and of the Thanesar Line" (B-17P), and "A Malay Coin" is described in G-46P.

G. A. Popoff is back again with four donations. F-9 is "Medailles de La Monnaie," a 40-page book of plates of medals offered for sale at the Paris mint 10 years ago. The medals were in gold, silver and bronze and included one of John Paul Jones, one of George Washington and a medal of Peter the Great. Don't worry if you cannot read French because there is no text. Mr. Popoff, longtime friend of the library, also donated two catalogues and the Seaby's Coin and Medal Bulletin of 1947, January to June.

Earle D. Sherwood wrote "What Shall I Collect?" for Numismatic Scrapbook in 1945 and now he asks another question. It is, "What Is a Bungtown?" He answers the question in his booklet which he donated to the library. The number is S-74P.

A few months ago, Arlie R. Slabaugh of Oakland, Maryland, digging into The Numismatists for information for his article, "The German Inflation." The booklet is sold by Spotlite Publications of Oakland for $1. This 40 page book not only goes into the history of Germany's inflation and provides photographs of notes and coins, but provides a table showing the depreciation at a glance and then the author lists money issued by towns and cities. Feeling he already is out on a limb, Mr. Slabaugh provides readers with the saw by concluding his book with a pricelist of the inflation money. "This is the part of every coin catalog that brings the author both brickbats and roses," Mr. Slabaugh said at the start of his pricelist. But he knew the information would be wanted and there it is. The ANA library number is S-71P.

As promised through this column a year ago, Dr. F. A. Limpert of Royal Oak, Michigan, has published his classified list of U. S. Postage and Fractional Currency, a supplement to his U. S. Postage and Fractional Currency. He has provided more interesting background material and discusses the scarce red back notes signed by the treasurers and registers. L-23 is the number of the 1946 book and supplement. Readers asking for L-23 supplement will receive only the latter.

B. Max Mehl contributed a priced catalogue of the June, 1947, sale of the Will W. Neil collection. It is N-1C. And if you are in the mood to look over an English-Japanese dictionary, ask for P-32D, donated by W. C. Sanders. This 1,540 page

book contains a table of weights and measures and another on coins, with tables on eras, numerals, etc.

Two purchases were G-45, "The One Pound Note in the History of Banking in Great Britain," by William Graham, and C-63, "Ancient Indian Numismatics." The Graham work is 410 pages in length—but the author manages to tell in an interesting manner of the rise of the bank, changes in banking methods—and of the manufacture of bank notes. "Ancient Indian Numismatics," is by Surendra Kisor Chakraborty, a professor of history at Ananda Mohan college in Mymensingh, Bengal, and a member of the Numismatic Society of India when the book was published in 1931. "The book deals with the discussion, criticism and systematic arrangement of our knowledge of the indigenous system of the Ancient Indian Numismatics up to the third century, A. D.," wrote Professor Chakraborty. The book has a fine bibliography section and index.

I never knew 'til now department: An attractive metallic name plate is now issued to life members of the ANA in lieu of the annual membership card. If you have not thought of a life membership, please do.

We have received Volume 1, No. 1, of "The Fare Box," which is termed a monthly news-letter for collectors of transportation tokens. It is issued by R. L. Moore of 2400 Van Ness avenue, San Francisco 9, California.

"Book of the Month" in July was "English Colonial Coins and Tokens," by James Atkins, judging by requests.

In July, 174 books were loaned and there were 72 loans. This is below average, but not bad for a "summer slump" month.

W. C. Sanders, 5 Harding Place, New Haven, Connecticut, also didn't realize there was a summer slump and has issued a fine list of numismatic works for sale. Listed there are several scarce books about which we have received inquiries during the past year as to where they might be purchased. Since one of these queries was from Mr. Sanders, we presume he found the answer.

If you are in the vicinity of Wisconsin Sunday, September 14, you're invited to the ANA library open house. We promise a day of numismatic pleasure, with lunch at 1 p. m., on the lawn, weather permitting. Bring along a display.

How can the library serve you?

COINAGE OF THE UNITED STATES, BY VARIOUS MINTS, DURING THE MONTH OF JUNE, 1947

Denomination	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Denver	Total Value	Total Pieces
SILVER					
Half dollars	$ 953,000.00	.....	$484,300.00	$1,437,300.00	2,874,600
Quarter dollars	298,000.00	.....	.....	298,000.00	1,192,000
Dimes	682,000.00	.....	.....	682,000.00	6,820,000
Total silver	$1,933,000.00	.....	$484,300.00	$2,417,300.00	10,886,600
MINOR					
Five-cent pieces	$ 312,000.00	.....	.....	$ 312,000.00	6,240,000
One-cent pieces	151,000.00	.....	$ 97,250.00	248,250.00	24,825,000
Total minor	$ 463,000.00	.....	$ 97,250.00	$ 560,250.00	31,065,000
Total domestic coinage	$2,396,000.00	.....	$581,550.00	$2,977,550.00	41,951,600

COINAGE EXECUTED FOR FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS

Mint	Country	Metal	Denomination	No. of Pieces
Philadelphia	Ecuador	Nickel	1 Sucre	3,234,000

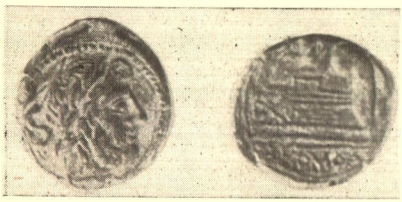
ACCUMULATIVE REPORT OF DOMESTIC COINAGE FOR 1947

Denomination	Philadelphia	San Francisco	Denver
Half dollars	$2,047,000.00	none	$1,950,300.00
Quarter dollars	$ 542,000.00	none	$ 969,000.00
Dimes	$5,899,000.00	$1,116,000.00	$2,863,100.00
Five-cent pieces	$1,031,000.00	$1,005,000.00	$1,216,300.00
One-cent pieces	$1,688,300.00	$ 585,000.00	$1,540,750.00

NOTES AND QUERIES

Unusual Error of B. C. 217-197

In my Collection I have a Roman semis of the uncial reduction of the as, which reduction, as is known, took place in the year B. C. 217 after the battle of Trasimene when Hannibal marched nearly to the gates of Rome. The law which legalized the reduction is known as the **lex Flaminia or lex Fabia** in honor of Quintus Fabius Maximus the dictator.



At a glance there is nothing unusual about the coin. The obverse shows the head of Jupiter with the letter S in the field. The reverse shows the prow of a ship, the S in the field and the "urbs" in the exergue. Upon closer examination it will be seen that the name ROMA is spelled RMOA, the two middle letters being transposed.

Of the many Roman coins I have examined this is the only one in which such a mistake has been noticed. The engraver of the coin must have had his mind on something else while he was working on the four letters in the exergue. Ancients used to say that occasionally Homer, the best poet, was sometimes caught napping. (Aliquando dormitat Homerus!)

VINCENT STAFANELLI,
Brooklyn, New York

Found 1000 1942 over 1941 Dimes

Dear Editor:

Is there any record as to the number of 1942 over 1941 dimes that were struck? I've failed to find mention of the variety in the United States Mint Report.

MRS. F. G. RUGGLES
West Newton, Mass.

Answer : The coinage of the 1942 over 1941 dime was included in the total amount struck, 205,432,329, at the Philadelphia Mint in 1942. The variety is illustrated and described in the August, 1946 issue of The Numismatist.

While the 1942 over 1941 dime is not rare at this time, it is difficult to obtain in uncirculated condition. As far as we know all the pieces in the hands of collectors were found in circulation. When they were first discovered, an alert collector employed by the New York Independent Subway System was able to locate over one thousand of them. This same collector reports that they are rarely found in circulation today, and when they are they are badly worn.

Information Wanted on Countermarks

Dear Mr. Mosher:

Several months ago I picked up at auction a "lot" of ten countermarked coins and I wonder if any other readers would be willing to compare notes in an effort to identify them. I'd also like to learn if similar specimens exist.

1. 1931 U. S. large cent. Countermarked PLATT & BROTHER in one deed incuse line and also incused J.B. in rectangle.

2. U. S. large cent, date illegible, countermarked A. & G. WELLS in deep incuse, and lightly stamped G. LIBBY, 1790.

3. 1841 U. S. large cent incused STONE & BALL.

4. 1821 U. S. large cent countermarked E. L. WEMPLE.

5. 1803 U. S. large cent countermarked L. ALDEN.

6. 1807 England penny, Counterstamped with head of Washington.

7. 1820 Lima, Peru, 2 reales, countermarked J. W. WEBB.

8. 1783 Mexico 2 reales countermarked J. L. REED.

9. 1784 Lima, Peru, 2 reales, countermarked KENKELS OPERA TROUPE.

10. 178? Charles III 2 reales, (mint not legible) countermarked KUNKLES OPERA TROUPE on the reverse.

Yours very truly,

WM. GUILD,
1171 Washington Street,
West Newton 65, Mass.

THE EDITOR'S CORNER

Restrikes Once Made to Order

Dear Mr. Mosher:

Where can I get information on "restrikes" of early United States coins? The catalogues I have list some coins both as "originals" and "restrikes" but supply little additional information.

Thanks a lot,

P. W., New York City

Answer: Offhand we cannot refer you to any lengthy treatise on the subject of "restrikes." Considerable information of a fragmentary nature exists and from all accounts it was once possible (providing you knew how) to get restrikes of rare coins from the United States Mint in Philadelphia. It seems probable that many of our known restrikes were made between 1840 and 1870.

An interesting bit of documentary evidence will be found in Mason's Coin Collectors' Magazine of January, 1872. The irascible Mr. Mason made a direct enquiry regarding "restrikes" and received the following information from the United States Mint. Excerpt:

> "From all I can learn it was customark in former years to restrike a limited number of pieces from old dies to oblidge collectors and others, and whilst there is no law against the practice it is liable to abuse, and perhaps it is well that the destruction of all the old dies and hubs has entirely removed this temptation. . . ."
>
> Signed
>
> A. LOUDON SNOWDEN,
> Chief Coiner, U. S. Mint,
> Philadelphia,
> December 14, 1871

Perhaps some of our old time collectors can supply authoritative information on the coins that are today recognized as "restrikes." In addition to the meagre information that is known, it would appear that there is considerable room for speculation. To cite a specific instance, we know that the silver dollars of 1801, 1802 and 1803 were re-issued at a much later date. This is an acknowledged fact and can be verified by the fabric of the coins themselves. We have reason to believe that some of the rarer silver dollars dated in the 1850's were "re-struck to order" at a date much later than that which appears on the coins.

Mr. Snowden frankly admits that restrikes were made to "oblidge collectors and others." Is there an existing record of the restrikes that were made at the Mint! The diaries or private correspondence of our early collectors might throw much light on the subject and collectors are urged to be on the alert for such information.

This is not written with the intent to discredit "restrikes" but rather to place on record the fact that some of our rare coins were made for collectors at a much later date than that which they bear.

Consult the Red Cross First

During the last several months we have received six letters from Europeans wanting to "exchange" stamps and coins for shipments of cigarettes, coffee, candy, linen, and luxury foods. All of these requests came from what was known during the war as "enemy territory," and while the authors may be deserving of help, the "exchange" they suggested, seemed unfair to say the least. With a single exception, the coins and stamps they offered, in exchange for shipments worth from $25 to $50, could be bought in this country for a dollar or less.

There are many deserving persons in Europe, and we should not judge them all by a small group which takes it for granted that all Americans are charitable idiots. Since the war we have been sending small packages of food and luxuries to our less fortunate friends in England and Europe and will continue to do so for we know that what we send never reaches the black market.

Undoubtedly other coin collectors have received similar requests and, in the event they have, we believe it best to consult the Red Cross before making a shipment. We were advised to have no part in such "exchanges" and to make our donations through the Red Cross or directly to our friends.

SEP Publicizes Token Collecting

The **Saturday Evening Post** of July 19, contains an interesting half page feature article on the collection of transportation tokens owned by Floyd Hammond, of West Springfield, Massachusetts. Mr. Hammond is portrayed exhibiting eight large boards of tokens and, while it may not be the largest collection known, it is certainly good publicity for collectors of transportation tokens.

A friend of Mr. Hammond's sent him a token from Hawaii and with that as a starter he has increased his collection to 1200 tokens. He suggests that the slogan of transportation token collectors be, "None but the brave deserve the fare."

Numismatist and Mineralogist Dies

The December, 1946 issue of The Numismatist recorded how Oscar, a coin-collecting seal of the Golden Gate Park, California, died with a collection of 553 coins in its stomach. Oscar was three years of age. Now comes word that Roly Poly, 11 months-old seal and favorite of thousands of Woodland Park Zoo, Seattle, has died, and he too was a coin collector. An autopsy revealed 101 cents, three nickels, 83 tax tokens, and a brass lapel insignia of the Army's second division. Not a large collection compared to Oscar's but in addition to his numismatic collection, Roly Poly's "cabinet" contained four rocks. This youthful interest in mineralogy indicates that Roly Poly was a born collector and had he lived he would have bettered Oscar's record.

Austrian Numismatic Society

The Austrian Numismatic Society, Vienna, wants to hear from advanced numismatists who wish to become Fellows of the Society. Applications should be sent directly to The Secretary, Schelleingasse 23, Vienna IV, Austria. The dues amount to $5.50 per year, and each member receives the publications of the Society without further charge. Those elected Fellows will be notified by the Secretary and arrangements will be made to make the membership fee payable here in the United States.

Notes on Danish Numismatics

In a letter, dated June 30, 1947 from a reliable source in Copenhagen it is stated that at a cabinet meeting held recently it was decided not to issue a 2 krone silver piece commemorating the death of King Christian X and the elevation to the throne of King Frederick IX. The lack of silver to the extent of 1½ tons was advanced as the reason.

The designer at the Royal Mint in Copenhagen, Harold Salomon, indicated in June that the dies for the new 1 and 2 krone pieces under King Frederik IX were ready, but had not yet been approved. The coinage would not begin until September and later in the fall the coinage of smaller coins would follow.

For those interested in war issues of paper money it should be stated that a set consisting of notes for 25 ore, 1, 5, 10, 50 and 100 kroner was issued by the Allied Supreme Command for use in Denmark. The notes carry this information in Danish, "Udstedt af den allierede Overkommando til Brug i Danmark." While printed these notes were not put into circulation.

HARVEY L. HANSEN,
San Jose, California

Keeps File of New Issues

Dear Sir:

May I suggest that in printing new issues of coins, that the plates not be placed back to back, so that the pictures can be cut out for filing. I would also like to see more coins illustrated that are difficult to identify.

Respectfully,

KINGSLEY FALKENBERG,
133 E. 73rd Street,
New York City

Note: It is not feasible to break articles up so that illustrations appear on one side of the paper only. The best solution would be to buy two copies of each issue. The second suggestion is an excellent one and has been practiced with considerable success by The Numismatist during the last sixty years. If Mr. Falkenberg or any other collector wishes to record little known issues, the editor should be happy to assist them.

—Editor.

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The following applications were received in July, 1947. If there are no objections filed prior to October 1, 1947, these applicants will become members on that date and notice to this effect will appear in the November issue.

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14812 **Virginia S. Freeman,** Money Island, Stony Creek, Conn. American coins. Frank J. Katen, Frances M. Katen.

14813 **B. L. McAfee,** Box 155, Morrison, Tenn. U. S. Type coins. Mancel Roy, Edward P. Harry.

14814 **Roger S. Cohen,** 3767 Oliver St., N. W. Washington 15, D. C. U. S. coins, C. Shirley Leachman, A. Hepner.

14815 **Robert D. Davis,** 965 Gas & Electric Bldg., Denver 2, Colorado. U. S. & Ancient. Dan Brown, Philip W. Whiteley.

14816 **M. C. Nall,** Box 483, Pecos, Texas. U. S. general. Claude Harrison, Jimie Yancy.

14817 **L. C. Curb,** 911 West 2nd Street, Pecos, Texas. U. S. coins, only. Claude A. Harrison, Jimie Yancy.

14818 **Paul Franklin,** 964 Amsterdam Avenue, New York 25, N. Y. Minor U. S. coins, Mis-strikes. Joseph Silverman, Max M. Schwartz.

14819 **Walter H. Warren,** 35 First St., Hoosick Falls, N. Y. General. Jasper L. Robertson, Harru C. Wyman, Clarence W. Mathers.

14820 **W. A. Herbst,** Roanoke, Illinois. General, U. S. coins. Gordon R. Tucker, John A. Robb, Earl C. Brown.

14821 **Walter J. F. Allen,** c/o Thomson, 893 Duke St., E. I. Glasgow, Scotland. Gordon R. Tucker, John A. Robb, Earl C. Brown.

14822 **Terry Calhoun,** 2130 W. Van Buren, Phoenix, Arizona. General. A. V. Von Rhein.

14823 **Narcisse P. Paul,** 8 Raliegh Rd., Worcester 2, Mass. U. S. Coins. M. C. Nichols, Malcolm Chell-Frost.

14824 **H. Barnes,** 416 Edgewood Place, Rutherford, N. J. General, Robert R. Prann, Lewis M. Reagan.

14825 **Robert W. Kline,** 1176 Princeton St., Akron 1, Ohio. Indian and Lincoln head cents. Vernon L. Oblisk, Wm. W. Reichenstein.

14826 **Marion E. Clark,** 107 S. Buckeye, Abilene, Kansas. General. C. B. Edwards, Lewis M. Reagan.

14827 **Louis L. Strott,** 2211 W. Fayette St., Baltimore 23, Md. Old Paper money. Edmond D. Meyers, Louis W. Klunk.

14828 **W. J. Nutter,** c/o Embajada Americana, Tegucigalpa, D. C. Republica de Honduras. Mrs. Edna M. Borrell, Lewis M. Reagan.

14829 **Miss Laura M. Caddy,** 17201 Oxford Avenue, Cleveland 11, Ohio. General. Vernon L. Oblisk, Dr. Y. A. Sargis.

14830 **Rev. Fenwick Leavitt,** 941 Main St., Worcester, Mass. General. Lewis M. Reagan, Minnie E. Reagan.

14831 **B. McTuesten,** 267 Main St., Montpelier, Vermont. General. Alfred A. McCarty, George H. Barbour.

14832 **Ernest N. Gauthier,** 15 Charles St., Montpelier, Vermont. General. Alfred A. McCarty, George H. Barbour.

14833 **Woodrow Wallis Judkins,** Sub-Group 1, Tacoma Group, Pacific Reserve Fleet, Tacoma 2, Washington.

14834 **Robert R. Wilkening,** 723 Runnion Avenue, Ft. Wayne, Indiana. Foreign & American coins. Evan W. Basinger, Edward Blakesley.

J-14835 **Richard C. Coates,** 2436 Bremont Avenue, Cincinnati 12, Ohio. All U. S. coins in silver and copper.

14836 **Albert J. Buschman,** 2015 E. 90th St., Cleveland, Ohio. U. S. coins. Stephen Mielcarek, Edwin Nosek.

J-14837 **Nora Lee Dennett,** 242 So. Young, Wichita 12, Kansas. American coins. E. B. Edwards, Mrs. Clyde Dennett, Lawrence W. Smith.

14838 **Paul J. Glawe,** 3368 Scranton Road, Cleveland 9, Ohio. U. S. coins. W. O. Bischoff, Vernon L. Oblisk.

14839 **George N. Schmitt,** 6618 Eastern Avenue, Washington 12, D. C. General. C. Shirley Leachman, Lewis M. Reagan.

14840 **Donald T. Thompson,** P. O. Box 74, Bala-Cynwyd, Pa. General. Wm. A. Schick, Jr., Arthur Sipe, Willard P. Snyder.

14841 **T. Leslie Mather,** 61 Gothic Avenue, Toronto, Ontario, Canada. Early Canadian coins & Bank notes. Peter Hunkin, Lewis M. Reagan.

The following have been reinstated

4171 Dr. Y. A. Sargis, 662 Rose Bldg., Cleveland, Ohio.
6943 Carl F. Houdek, 1013 8th Street, Muscatine, Iowa.

Deceased

11047 C. C. Coleman, Portland, Oregon
11378 Walter Schlott, Lancaster, Pa.

Expelled

11812 George Howard Pyle, Denver, Colorado

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6502 Dan R. Adan, 1100 Roscoe St., Chicago 13, Illinois
13346 Dr. F. U. Allfie, Salyer, California
9009 G. D. Beard, 1424 Kipling, Houston 6, Texas
13681 Charles Wm. Berry, Jr., R. F. D. #1, Scarboro, Maine
4605 Frederick T. Brew, 1870 Page Avenue, E. Cleveland 2, Ohio
11316 Rev. Anselm Broburg, 285 Friendship St., Providence, R. I.
LM89 Wm. G. Bruce, 1119 7th St., N. W. Canton 3, Ohio
12818 E. W. Burton, General Delivery, Homestead, Fla.
14623 Wm. Edward Cartwright, P. O. Box 653, Honolulu 9, Hawaii
14177 Wm. John Butler, Phm. 3c, U. S. N., 5423 6th Aven., Los Angeles, Calif.
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11956 Robert M. Cherrington, Lock Box 633, Ashley, Indiana
10908 A. J. Cook, Route #4, Box 106, Olympia, Washington
13677 P. F. Creaton, 5125 The Toledo, Long Beach 3, California
12959 Mrs. D. Dee De Nise, 4023 Burke, Seattle 3, Washington
5083 Dr. Wilbur B. Dexter, 11119 Lake Ave., Apt. 401, Cleveland 2, Ohio
12560 Dr. D. L. Dickerson, 107 No. Franklin St., Danville, Illinois
11197 W. J. Dodds, 78 So. Stephen St., Boston, Mass.
14338 Wilson B. Druley, 415½ Cherokee St., Bartlesville, Oklahoma
140 Thomas L. Elder, 100 Ossining Road, Pleasantville, N. Y.
11653 Elkhart Coin Club, Wm. Brimelow, Secy. 618 S. Main, Elkhart, Indiana.
14337 Kenneth A. Erwin, 344 Court St., Keene, New Hampshire
14230 William G. Field, 946 Hilldale Ave., Los Angeles 46, California
13834 Ray Flesch, Pine River, Minn.
5443 Thomas L. Gaskill, 140 So. Broad St., The Union League Club, Philadelphia 2, Pa.
12567 Sid H. Gross, c/o R. R. Kibbs, Texas Co., New York 17, N. Y.
11085 Robert B. Hanna, 1560 Fairview, Detroit 14, Michigan
7179 Lance Hathaway, 114 Birch Ave., Bala-Cynwyd, Pa.
LM155 L. A. Hensley, 1616 Spencer St., Omaha 10, Nebraska
9034 Donald F. Herdman, Room 16A, Special Devices, Old Adm. Bldg., Naval Ordnance Test Station, Inyokern, California
14415 Elmer E. Hersman, General Delivery, Alton, Illinois
8883 Donald A. Hickok, Placer Guards Station, c/o The Pines, Bass Lake, Calif.
7216 Gale V. Highsmith, 2825 So. Burrell St., Milwaukee 7, Wis.
13805 William I. Hillman, 424 So. Roxbury Dr., Beverley Hills, California
12332 Rev. Arthur L. Hunter, Arbutus and Ridge Avenues, Halethorpe, Md.
13407 Mrs. Lawrence P. Jacobs, Hq. 3118, Signal Ser. Group, APO 757, c/o PM, New York, N. Y.
12717 Lt. Glenn A. Jensen, Browns Valley, Minn.
14203 Prof. L. P. V. Johnson, Dept. of Agronomy, State College of Washington, Pullman, Washington
12400 Lt. W. H. Jones, N. A. S., Moffett Field, California
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7240 A. H. Large, Room 326 YMCA, Zanesville, Ohio
3312 Adolph Larson, Jr., 1242 South Norton, Los Angeles 6, California
6117 R. L. Leitch, 121 Roselawn Ave., Pittsburgh 16, Pa.
13161 Max Levine, 8821 Crawford Ave., Roscoe, Los Angeles, California
7110 Ralph G. Longfellow, Box 14, Wollaston, Mass.
5102 Matt L. Love, Southern Pacific Lines, City Office, Beaumont, Texas
8893 Paul F. Max, M.D., 5148 Westminster Place, St. Louis 8, Mo.
7773 S. L. McGranaghan, 5001 S. W. 5th Terrace, Miami 34, Florida
13606 Clyde Marion Marchand, 4742 Beacon St., Chicago 40, Illinois
6664 Col. Alva B. McKie, 2556 Chestnut St., San Francisco 23, California
8548 James G. McNees, 1741 Edgemont St., San Diego 2, California
12588 Martin W. Maret, 539 1st Avenue, So. Charleston, W. Va.
5333 Edward M. Meister, 340 Seventh St., Brooklyn 15, N. Y.
8964 Joseph W. Mercer, 817 North G. St., Tacoma, Washington

8710 C. C. Merrifield, APO 942, Alaska Gen. Depot Bldg., D10, c/o PM. Seattle, Washington
12225 Joseph M. C. Milano, 2185 Broadview Terrace, Hollywood 28, California
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10503 William Pearson, 135 Harrison Ave., Harrison, N. Y.
13779 Clarence J. Perry. General Delivery, Columbia, Mo.
11596 Lt. M. L. Peterson, Rm. 4516, Arlington Annex, Navy Dept., Arlington, Va.
3268 Leo D. Phaneuf, 1207 N. Second St., Marquette, Mich.
14309 William J. Pompe, 1904 W. Hadley St., Milwaukee 12, Wisc.
12254 Leo A. Porschet, 276 No. Falls Blvd., Buffalo 14, N. Y.
12365 Walter W. Reeves, 3434 A. Taylor St., Dewey Park, Yukon, Fla.
12864 Harold L. Reichardt, 2538 Hilton Ave., Ashland, Ky.
11111 Dr. F. A. Rohrman, Engr. Expt. Station, U. of Colo., Boulder, Colorado
12618 F. C. Romine, Route #3, Waverly, Ohio
10939 Max S. Romsey, Warner, N. H.
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10285 Norman H. Shepard, 2641 Truman Avenue, Oakland, California
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13531 David M. Stanley, 115 Sunset Drive, Muscatine, Iowa
13743 Edgar M. Stern, 2789 Pond Place, New York 58, N. Y.
14052 Glen P. Stotts, Yates Center, Kansas.
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13890 Eugene Summers, R. F. D. #2, Minerva, Ohio
4494 L. E. Thompson, 160 Delaware Ave., Freeport, N. Y.
7581 Dwight J. Thomson, 1208 Rookwood Dr., Cincinnati, Ohio
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12149 Jack Weiss, 2104 Eutaw Place, Baltimore 17, Md.
6584 R. N. Wiltberger, 619 Leonard Ave., De Kalb, Illinois
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REPORTS OF CLUB MEETINGS

SECRETARIES PLEASE NOTE: Reports should be made promptly. Copy must be received by the 10th of the month to insure insertion in the following month's issue. As a usual thing a copy of the minutes is sent in, and almost invariably a number of items of local concern only must be cancelled. The justification for publishing these accounts lies in the numismatic information—and encouragement—to be derived by collectors generally, regardless of location. On this basis we feel it advisable to revise and condense, and, incidentally, the by-product of this course is conservation of valuable space.

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB—The regular meeting was held July 3rd, with 19 members present, Mr. Wiley presiding.

John Sheckells, reporting for the program committee, talked about the arrangements made to make our trip to Annapolis, July 26th, a most enjoyable one. He also stated that the second meeting in August would be a social one, and urged all members to attend.

Dr. Edward Plummer suggested that the club secretary write a letter of appreciation, for the club, to the Johns Hopkins University, under whose auspices the combined exhibition of Byzantine coins, at the Baltimore Museum of Art, was recently held. Robert Hall spoke about the really surprising progress made by the Cub Scouts (8 to 12 years of age) in the art of coin collecting. Mr. Hall, who was sort of coaching these boys for the past three months in a numismatic way, was amazed at the exhibit recently held by these boys in a local church, which he and Charles Hass attended. They had obtained some coins that even some of our club members did not have in their collections. Mr. Hall was complimented on his good work, for time and effort expended by him, in coaching these budding young numismatists.

Charles Hass displayed a set of the 1946 Iceland coins, and remarked that these coins no longer had the crown of Denmark on the reverse.

Dr. Plummer had on display, Dollar size coins of Central America, Chihuahua (Revolutionary Coinage 1913-16), Chile, copiapo.

Philip Straus had a silver dollar of King Menelik II 1895, which had the lion neatly sawed out with a jeweler's saw.

—MURRAY HEISERMAN, Secretary

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB—The regular meeting usually held on the 3rd Thursday of the month, was postponed to Saturday, July 26, 1947. The meeting was held in Annapolis,

through arrangements made by our Annapolis members, with 22 members present. The Baltimore members met at the Mahan Building at the Naval Academy in Annapolis. A short visit was made to the displays of *ship models* in the Mahan Hall. Later, the group visited the Naval Academy Museum, where each member was given a copy of the Storer Catalog of Naval Medals. Next, a visit was made to the Floating Electronics Laboratory, where an interesting tour was conducted by one of our Annapolis members. After that, there was an exhilarating boat ride to Greenbury Point, where we went through the Naval Aviation Center.

The group met at the Blue Lantern Inn at 6:30 P. M. for an enjoyable dinner. Following the dinner, the club membership was welcomed by Captain Cockaday, on behalf of the Annapolis members. At the conclusion of the dinner, a fine auction was held by Mr. McCormick. A motion was made, and passed, to give the Annapolis group a rising vote of thanks. Pres. Wiley then assured the Annapolis members, that this most pleasant day was enjoyed thoroughly by every member present, and that the club is deeply indebted to Captain Cockaday, and Messrs. Cook, Perlitz, and Lyle for their splendid cooperation.

—MURRAY HEISERMAN, Secretary

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB—The regular meeting was held at the Peale Museum, Aug. 7, 1947, at 8:15 P. M. with 25 members present. Mr. Smyth made a complete report on the exhibit of Early Christian and Byzantine coins recently held at the Baltimore Museum of Art, and stated, that in all the years he had been a numismatist, and of all the fine exhibits he had seen, never had he had the exquisite pleasure, the pure delight, in beholding such an array of beautiful coins, as he saw at the Baltimore Museum of Art. And to top it, Mr. Smyth said, in conjunction with the coin exhibit, a splendid lecture was delivered by Miss Sarah Elizabeth Freeman, Curator of Fine Arts at the Johns Hopkins University.

There was some preliminary talk about bringing the 1950 A. N. A. convention to Baltimore, but this matter was tabled for some future date. Mr. Sheckells, reported for the Program Committee, and stated that the next meeting in August, would be a social meeting, and that refreshments would be served. It was reported that Mr. Brogden had been the recipient of a mild attack, but had weathered it nicely, and was now on the road to recovery. Mr. Brogden knows we are all pulling for him. A fine auction was conducted by Mr. McCormick, and the meeting was then adjourned.

—MURRAY HEISERMAN, Secretary

BIRMINGHAM COIN CLUB.—The 30th regular meeting was held July 15th, in the auditorium of the White Dairy. President Courtney, presiding. There were 12 members and two visitors present. After the regular business session Mr. Courtney stressed the necessity of each A. N. A. member sending in their ballot before the deadline for the coming election.

J. C. Faulkner, Marvin Acton and G. H. Young volunteered to serve with O. B. Hudson, J. H. Morris and W. E. Courtney on the Quiz program between the Atlanta Coin Club and the Birmingham Coin Club, date to be announced later.

Mrs. Morris reported that the ten volumes of the Numismatist which the club had bound and donated to the Birmingham Public Library were now available to any members for reference in the Art Department of the Library.

We were glad to welcome back S. M. Wylie of Roanoke, one of our charter members. Mr. Acton moved that the club ballot and proxy for the coming A. N. A. election be turned over to J. H. Morris who is attending the convention, to be cast as he sees fit.

J. C. Faulkner read an interesting article on Fractional Currency and O. B. Hudson read a paper which he had prepared himself, entitled "Odd Notes on Numismatics."

Visitors—Joe Plosser and Billie Williams.

Exhibits: Pres. Courtney: 18 different foreign silver dollars.

J. C. Faulkner: Type set fractional currency, set of federal reserve $1 notes and collection of confederate states currency.

J. H. Morris: Fractional currency shield issued by Government and almost complete set of fractional currency.

O. B. Hudson: 1 sol. Peru, 5 francs Belgium, 5 francs France, 5 lire Italy, 8 reals Mexico, 1 dollar Canada, peso Mexico and 2½ gulden Netherlands.

—OPAL MORRIS, Sec'y

BRONX COIN CLUB—The 167th meeting was held on Wednesday, July 23rd, at the Concourse Plaza Hotel, President Clark presiding. Fourteen members and three guests were in attendance.

A newspaper article relating to the twenty dollar gold piece of 1933 was then read. This announced the court decision favoring the recovery by the U. S. government of this coin, acquired by a Memphis collector from a Chicago coin dealer. The article stated that the coin had been illegally acquired from the Mint and that the government therefore had the right to recover it.

Topics for the evening were Lincoln cents, coins of countries beginning with the letter G except Germany and Great Britain, and orders, decorations and war medals of Great Britain of the nineteenth century. Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Blake: Five reprints of New York City fractional notes dated December 1814 in denominations of 1, 4, 6, 9 and 12½ cents. Photograph of some New York collectors taken about 1935.

Mr. Carpenter: Thirty British campaign medals to 1900.

Mr. Clark: 23 coins from British, French, Dutch and Spanish Guiana.

Mr. Cohen: Second inauguration medal of McKinley, inauguration medal of William Howard Taft; shipwreck medal in white metal.

Mr. Deas: 150 Civil War tokens and four Hudson-Fulton medals.

Mr. Erlanger: 24 new acquisitions consisting of Nuremberg St. Laurentius gold guilders of the 15th, 16th and 17th centuries and three ducats of 1635, 1642 and 1643.

Mr. Gallo: Ten double scudos of the 17th century of the Republic of Genoa.

Mr. Girolamo: Set of Lincoln cents, several recently issued bank notes, coins of German East Africa, New Guinea, Gibraltar, Greece, Guatemala, Guernsey; German notgeld.

Mr. Kortjohn: 60 foreign coins on the topic, set of Lincoln cents, Greek inflation bills in book entitled "Financial Facts of World War II," 22 Hungarian inflation bills up to 100 quintillion pengo denomination; lucite coin frame having flexibility, full visibility and protection of exhibit.

Mr. Marsicano: Coins of countries beginning with the letter G, new acquisitions of Australia, New Guinea, Southern Rhodesia and Tibet.

Mr. May: Twenty British war medals from Military General Service Medal for 1812 to Medal for the Relief of Pekin, 1901. South African crown of 1947.

Mr. Ruditsky: Specimens of a general military collection consisting of medals, badges, buckles, buttons, insignia and ribbons.

Mr. Seeman: Full set of Lincoln cents, uncirculated and proof.

Mr. Von Mohra: Six nineteenth century British medals of the Victorian era.

Mr. Wagner: Eight British decorations, two British life saving medals, military cross first class of Belgium.

For the August meeting to be held on August 20th the topics will be the U. S. two cent pieces, coins of Hungary, and the twentieth century medals of Great Britain and of Hungary since 1918.

—MARTIN F. KORTJOHN, Secretary

BROOKLYN COIN CLUB—The 170th regular meeting was held August 6th, 1947, at the Railway Express Building, 124 Boerum Place, Brooklyn with President Nat E. Heft in the chair. 31 members and 12 guests were on hand to enjoy an exceptional evening's entertainment. Our gracious host and fellow member, C. H. Ryan, provided refreshments of the most delectable varieties.

One of our guests for the evening was Dr. F. M. Heichelheim, lecturer in ancient history and archaeology at University College, Nottingham, England. He gave a brief but extremely interesting talk about his work in classifying and attributing the coins owned by the Fitz-Williams Museum in England, and of certain discoveries which he made in conjunction therewith.

Vernon Brown reported on his recent trip to Washington, D. C. at which time he was able to get pertinent information with reference to the future maintenance of the A. N. A. coin display at the Smithsonian Institution. Max M. Schwartz spoke on the subject of printing all papers read at our meetings in a special edition, and received assurances from many members that more papers would be prepared in the near future for that purpose. Ernst Kraus gave a splendid report on new issues from foreign countries, exhibiting specimens from no less than 11 different countries. He stated that all these issues would soon be fully reported in THE NUMISMATIST.

Upon a motion made by Mr. Kraus, the members and guests then rose and paid tribute to the memory of Charles M. Wormser's mother, recently deceased.

Exhibits by the members and guests were as follows:

Mr. Arthur: "Dana Bickford's international dollar" of 1897 depicting a bi-metallic system introduced by William J. Bryan in 1896. One dollar silver certificate, series of 1935, #1 note; One dollar silver certificate series of 1935A depicting a full portrait of Washington on the reverse.

Mr. Brown: Hong Kong $1., $5. and $10 notes overprinted on notes of a Japanese controlled bank, Central Reserve Bank of China, after liberation; U. S. note $2. series of 1928F.

Mr. Eill: 50c piece dated 1909, originally a proof, from circulation.

Mr. Feldman: Copper piece "JA MUGGER" 1170; antique copper perpetual calendar 1800.

Mr. Friedberg: Large gold coins of Albania, Bulgaria, Roumania and Italy.

Mr. Heft: 1928 small notes; 1935 double impression one dollar note; 1935 R. & S. one dollar notes.

Mr. Kimpfler: Seven different denarii of Caesar Augustus.

Mr. Kortjohn: Lucite coin frame permitting flexibility of exhibit; Inflation notes of Greece and Hungary.

Mr. Kraus: Republic of Italy: 10, 5, 2 and 1 lire 1946 in aluminum; Luxembourg: 100 franc 1946 in silver; Czechoslovakia: 2 koruny 1947 in nickel; India: 1 rupee 1947 in nickel; Hungary Republic: 5 forint 1947 in silver Kossuth commemorative; Udaipur: 1, ½, ¼ anna of 1942 and 1943 in bronze.

Mr. Leder: Set of Roosevelt dimes both uncirculated and gold plated; Pony Express medal.

Mr. Maley: Luxembourg: 1 franc 1946, 25 centimes 1946 and 5 centimes 1930; Monaco: 10 francs 1946; Belgium: 50 francs, 1940; Belgium Congo: 50 francs 1944; Prussian Order of the Crown 1861.

Mr. Mertik: Current coins of Portugal, Guatemala and Japan in uncirculated condition.

Mr. Schwartz: Tokens, medals and hard times tokens of Andrew Jackson including Low numbers 1, 3, 4, 5, 5a and 166.

Mr. Stein: Small bronze of Herod the Great showing eagle.

Mrs. Stein: Gold stater of Philip II of Macedon.

Mr. Susskind: Coins of Bombay, Baroda and Hyderabad; Civil War tokens.

Mr. Wishy: 25 and 5 francs of the French Island of Reunion.

Prof. Zygman: Tetradrachms of Demetrius III, Philip Philadelphus, Antiochus XIII, Asiaticus, Tigranus the Great, Mithradates II of Parthia; Mithradates VI of Pontus, and Cistophorus of M. Anthony; Bronzes of Artavazdes I, Cleopatra VII and of Aradus.

—IRVING MERTIK, Secretary

CALIFORNIA COIN CLUB—Notwithstanding the fact that many members were absent on vacations the 233d regular meeting, held on the evening of August 5, brought out an attendance of 18. Most of those present actively participated in a spirited discussion of various matters relating to the welfare of the institution. President Adolph Larson, Jr., was away on a fishing trip and had deputized former President S. M. Koeppel to preside at the meeting. The scheduled speaker of the evening, Dr. Rosenkranz, was likewise unable to appear on account of illness, and those present were disappointed in not being able to hear his "Remarks on the Collecting of Coins and Medals." This talk, however, will be programmed for a later meeting.

A free and informal round table discussion brought out considerable divergence of thought in respect to conduct of the club meetings. The matter of coin auctions; the time and manner of holding such auctions, if any there be; and kindred topics, occupied much of the evening. There appears to exist a more or less amicable difference of opinion concerning the importance of these auctions; one group holding that an auction is an indispensable element outranking all else in importance; another school of thought maintaining that the auction should be subordinated to intellectual pursuits and scheduled addresses on numismatic topics, as in the past. This topic will receive further consideration at the September meeting.

Acting President Koeppel exhibited what he termed a "hit and miss" assortment of coins, ancient and modern, concerning which he spoke briefly. Dr. Chas. Harbeck read a short dissertation on money, written by the late Gertrude Stein; Secretary Stanton exhibited four Eastern tetradrachms of the Emperor Augustus, and there were other informal exhibits.

—EARLE K. STANTON, Secretary

CHICAGO COIN CLUB—The 342nd meeting was held Wednesday, August 6th, in the Flemish Room of the Hamilton Hotel, President I. T. Kopicki presiding. There were 36 members and 4 guests present. The thermometer was near the 100 degree mark and the meeting was short.

Dr. Howard W. Merideth was elected to membership.

The Secretary read a letter from Cambridge University Press re a new book "From Imperium to Auctoritas."

Mr. Green, as chairman of the Publication Committee, spoke about the Club Bulletin to be published in December.

Mr. Powills told us that the Banquet Committee was working on a program. Report is to be made at a later meeting.

The President appointed a committee to vote the A. N. A. ballot. The sealed ballot was returned to the Secretary and it was mailed that night.

Mr. Gustafson presented the exhibits which were by:

Mr. Saab: Complete set of Austrian 2 Shilling; Complete set of Newfoundland $2.00 Gold; Complete set of German pattern 20 and 10 marks gold, 5, 3, 1 marks silver in proof; Gold medals of Hindenburg, Graf Zeppelin, Pigeon Fancier, also a set rescued in 1898 from ship Infanta Maria Teresa in Santiago, Cuba, 20 pesetas gold, 1 peso, 50 centavos. All these coins in individual plastic holders.

Mr. Gustafson: Wooden nickels from Hiawathaland Festival at Escanaba, Michigan, July 3, 4, 5 and 6, 1947.

Mr. Brown: Uncirculated sets: 1947 Canada 1c to $1.00; Belgian Congo 1, 2, and 50 Francs; Venezuela 5 centimos to 2 bolivars.

Mr. Giello: Toy money; Roman Silver and Bronze pieces; various transportation tokens and medals. Very interesting newspaper item on the cleverest counterfeiter of all time until his downfall.

Mr. Johnson: Geo. III—Silver penny to crown; Several proof and uncirculated gold dollars; a Greek tetradrahm; several denarii; several proof and uncirculated copper-nickel cents. A few others. All very nice.

Mr. Cahall: Hobart Centennial Wooden nickel; 1918 over 1917 Buffalo Nickel; Type set of 20th Century Brazilian silver coins.

Col. Curtis: A display of 4 copper coins struck on planchets of "large cent" size. One is conventional large cent. The other three are patterns: 1c, 3c, and $10.

—EARL C. BROWN, Secretary

DETROIT COIN CLUB—The 496th meeting held July 17, in the Book-Cadillac Hotel. President James J. Curto presided over the meeting with 27 members and guests in attendance.

Communications were read from Gilbert S. Perez, A. N. A. Convention Committee-June *Numismatist*, M. H. Bolender, Oscar Fulton, Benjamin DuBose, Frank Pietsch-J. L. Betts and Numismatic Gallery.

The application for membership of Mrs. Nedra E. Gonzales was read and a discussion took place with reference to admitting women to membership in the Detroit Coin Club as the past policy had been to exclude women members and during the discussion it was brought out that a motion at our 392nd meeting reading as follows:—"Motion by Mr. Leffingwell was supported by Mr. Noyes that the present policy of the Club be continued and no ladies be admitted to membership," was still in effect. President Curto explained that it was his opinion that this motion was out of order inasmuch as it conflicted with the Constitution of the Club and he proceeded to read from Article I sections I and II of the Constitution. After considerable discussion, with no one coming forth with any objections to women becoming members of the Club, the following motions were made:—

A motion by Mr. Holmes was supported by Mr. Church that the preceding motion made at our 392nd meeting, with reference to women membership in the Club, be rescinded. Motion carried by a unanimous vote.

A motion by Mr. Holmes was supported by Mr. Moulton that women be admitted to membership in the Detroit Coin Club in future. Motion carried by a unanimous vote.

A motion by Mr. Bowen was supported by Mr. Moulton that the rules be suspended and the application for membership of Mrs. Gonzales be considered at this time. Motion carried and Mrs. Gonzales was elected to membership without a dissenting vote.

A short discussion took place with reference to the Club seal appearing on all of our medals. It was pointed out that, when the Club seal was adopted at our 27th meeting, it was to be used on all stationery and medals. In as much as this had not been the case, and in order to keep the records in order, a motion by Mr. Church was supported by Mr. McNamara that the Detroit Coin Club Seal need not appear on the 500th meeting medal or on any future medal which might be issued by the Club and that the Lindberg, 200th meeting and 400th meeting medals be recognized as official Club medals even though the official Club Seal does not appear on them. Motion carried.

Harry Rapp, the speaker of the evening, gave a very interesting and informative talk on the Pedley-Ryan, Montana and Colorado Silver Tokens and exhibited specimens from his collection. Mr. Rapp advised that his collection lacked only one item from being complete, the Pedley-Ryan #2 which is the rarest token of the lot, there being only 15 known to have been made. Mr. Rapp advised that he was very anxious to complete his collection.

Mr. Rapp, Chairman of our 500th meeting medal committee, advised that he had received the completed drawings from Rohe Reidenbach and that same had been forwarded to August Frank in Philadelphia and that he expected to hear from them in the near future.

President Curto advised that he had received 100 sets of the Crossell Michigan Centennial wooden nickels in denominations of 1, 2 and 5 and that he was selling them at 25c per set.

—KENNETH A. FULTON, Secretary

JACKSON-MISSISSIPPI COIN CLUB—The seventh regular meeting held Tuesday, July 8 in the Director's Room of the Jackson-State National Bank with 17 members and one visitor present.

After a lengthy discussion the club voted to hold an additional meeting on the 4th Tuesday of each month. The purpose of this meeting will be to have a time used exclusively for trading.

Following the auction, Mr. Wilde gave a short talk on "Trading Coins." He stated that this was one of the best and least expensive ways of completing ones collection.

—CHARLES ARRINGTON, Secretary

LEHIGH VALLEY COIN CLUB—The 93rd meeting of the Club was called to order by the Pres. Forrest Smith, 31 members and guests were present. The meeting was held at Mr. Sleep's Cottage, Slateford, Pa. along the Delaware River.

Two new members were accepted into the Club.

The September meeting of the Club will be held at Allentown, Pa., September 18, 1947. Mr. Keller will make the arrangements for the meeting place.

Mr. Shepherd spoke in reference to the Seal for the Club "The Walking Purchase."

Mr. Bray from East Bangor, Pa. spoke and also had a fine display of "Early Forms of Advertising." This was an unusual fine display and the men present had a fine time looking over his display.

—K. LOBB, Secretary

NEW JERSEY NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The 163rd meeting was held at the Newark Athletic Club on June 12th. Sixteen members and guests were present.

Mr. Knoke was presented the A. N. A. banner for National Coin Week and exhibited a scrap book made up of newspaper items concerning various exhibits made by the Club during that week. Discussion followed on the absence of a ballot box for voting on new members and Mr. Bungenstock kindly offered to donate at the next meeting, a ballot box with ballots.

A motion was made and carried by Mrs. Brookes, that the Club have its usual five-year dinner in October 1948.

Mr. Blaisdell made a motion which was seconded that a larger room be gotten in the fall.

Exhibits as follows:

Mr. Stieg: Peace dollar without reeding; cent of 1940 with flaw in metal.

Mr. Ragot: Jetons of U. S. and foreign origin from 1605 to date; numismatic medals.

Mr. Thatcher: Tokens, 3 coins of Brazil.

Mrs. Brookes: Chinese bamboo tally stick.

Mr. Brookes: 20 centimes of 1921 Djibouti (French Somaliland).

Mr. Lewis: (Westchester Club) cents of 1794, 1809; 1802 Dutch East Indies Ship set; Austria taler 1729.

Mr. Goodman: Large cents 1793 to 1813.

Mr. Wade: Broken set of demand notes; types of gold bank notes, civil war scrip of Newark, Jersey City and Easton, Pa.

Mr. Douglas: A. N. A. banner presented to the Club for first place in 1947 National Coin Week Contest.

Mr. Knoke: Educational exhibit "What we Learn from Coins" from Pingry School Coin Week Exhibit.

Mr. Blaisdell: 71 Unc. large cents 1793 to 1857.

—SUSAN H. DOUGLAS, Secretary

NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB OF—July 11, 1947 regular meeting, J. H. Spray, president, presiding. Fourteen members and two guests were present.

Topics for the evening: United States Silver Dollars 1836-1865; Silver Coins of the Roman Empire; Coins of Austria-Hungary; Obsolete Banknotes of the City of New York.

The following exhibits were made:

Frank J. Katen: Eight shillings note, New York Water Works Mar. 5, 1776; State of New York ten dollars Aug. 13, 1776.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis: United States silver dollars 1863 and 1870 CC.

Joseph H. Spray: United States proof dollars, silver, 1859 and 1864.

Edward J. Erlanger: Medal on the Congress of the Allied Princes at the Hague, 1691, (by P. H. Muller) in silver and tin; medal on the Peace of Ryswyk 1697 (by Hustch).

Martin F. Kortjohn: United States silver dollars 1843 and 1860-0; 25 coins of Austria.

Bradford Babbitt: Mexican Revolution 1811 to 1822 Morelos counterstamp.

Damon G. Douglas: United States $20 1908 gold. Coventry half-penny.

Mrs. D. G. Douglas: Campaign medalets of Cleveland and Hendricks, Blaine & Logan; and Prohibition Candidates for President 1896-1900, and for 1948.

Edward Lewis: 1729 uncirculated Austria taler; United States silver dollars of 1842, 1847, 1859-S, 1860-O; 1876 proof trade dollar; 1865 proof dollar and 1795 proof copper dollar.

Vernon L. Brown: Denarius of Julius Caesar. Austria, Maria Theresa thaler 1780, 2 florin 1869, 2 shilling 1934 commemorative death of Dollfuss.

R. I. Nesmith: Eight reales Spanish Colonial-Guatemala, Lima and Potosi Mints, and four reales Philip II of Mexico.

L. Kusterer: Misstruck Dollar 1847. Seven obsolete banknotes of New York.

Mr. Edward Lewis was welcomed as a guest. He conveyed to our Club the best wishes of the Westchester County Coin Club, and spoke of its activities. One of his specialties is the United States Silver Three-Cent piece, and he gave a brief resume of his article on this subject which is to appear in the July NUMISMATIST.

—VERNON L. BROWN, Secretary

OREGON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The July 14th meeting was called to order by President Padden with 34 members and guests in attendance.

The evening was given over to exhibits and stories of numismatic interest—everyone having been requested in the meeting notices to participate. The stories this scribe has forgotten but some of the exhibits were as follows:

F. C. Powell: Half dollars.

W. A. Donaldson: Wooden nickels.

Mrs. Effee Eltinge: Military payment certificates.

Mrs. Minnie Nelson: Notices and stories from Heart of America Numismatic Society.

Mrs. Essie Cohon: U. S. gold type set.

Dr. Thompson: Oklahoma newspaper of 1883 printed in English and Cherokee.

John Slusher: Mexican gold.

Paul Christensen: Swedish plate and Chilean siege money.

Henry Yunker: Collection of U. S. small cents.

D. Salerno: Japanese invasion notes and aluminum 10 and 20 centavo Culion Leper Colony money.

L. Salerno: Edward VIII coins of West Africa and New Guinea.

Lloyd L. Ruff: Austrian coins of 1789 & 1929.

M. A. Carter: Polish piece of 1923.

Howard Hughes: Several pieces of siege and counterstamp money.

A. C. Ross: Bust type dimes.

Arthur Hedmark: U. S. minor coins with defects and die breaks.

Geo. McLarty: Canadian currency.

The club was invited to a picnic at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Baranovich on the Evergreen Highway five miles east of Vancouver, Washington. The date was set for August 10 with the regular meeting of the society to be held the following evening.

—LOYD L. RUFF, Secretary

PACIFIC COAST NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The 376th regular monthly meeting was held on July 23rd at the Hotel Withcomb with 34 members and 14 guests present.

Messrs. Elden E. Fry and Jackson G. Boyne were elected to active membership.

The Secretary reported that the California State Numismatic Association will hold the State Convention in Bakersfield on October 11th and 12th.

Upon motion by the Secretary, George H. Blake, Treasurer of the A. N. A. and a member of the Society for 25 years, was elected a Fellow Member in recognition for his kind interest in the Society. The Secretary was instructed to present the engraved certificate to Mr. Blake at the convention in Buffalo.

Rev. Arthur B. Coole, from Peiping, China, gave a very interesting and educational talk on Chinese coins. He brought out that he started collecting coins as a boy by following grave diggers and that his father started to publish a book on Chinese coins but death intervened. He followed up the work and published the book "Coins in China's History," and many others. He told of personal experiences in China and association with historical personages and developments of Chinese coins. A vote of thanks was extended to Mr. Coole for his splendid address.

The following exhibits were made:

E. A. Parker: $10.00 Bill canceled 1917. Federal Reserve Balance. Complete set of commemorative two shilling pieces of Austria.

Clifford Bloom: Colonial, Continental and small size U. S. currency.

John Ohls: Half dollars of 1804 and 1829 overdate.

C. J. Freeman: A great variety of Chinese knife, spade and various silver and copper coins.

H. F. Bowker: Various Chinese coins, on which Rev. Coole spoke.

—EDWARD FOGLER, Secretary

PHILADELPHIA COIN CLUB—The 145th regular meeting was called to order at 8:15 P. M., Tuesday July 15th, 1947 in The Benjamin Franklin Hotel, Philadelphia, by President Snyder. There were 27 members and guests in attendance.

The President read a letter from Dr. E. Arthur Whitney, Superintendent of The Elwyn Training School, expressing their thanks for our gifts to the school while their guests at the June meeting.

The A. N. A. Convention in Buffalo was discussed; a number of our members are planning to attend it.

The door prize, a Long Island Commemorative half dollar, was won by Forrest Cox. The chance prize, a Wisconsin half dollar, was won by Col. Joseph Moss.

The exhibits follow:

Asher H. Leatherman: A set of small U. S. cents from 1856 to 1946.

Daniel J. McDonald, Jr.: A card of small California gold pieces.

Noel H. van Rockens: Two boards containing a splendid collection of large U. S. Cents from 1793 to 1857.

Willard P. Snyder: A fine collection of Alaskan tokens including one with a gold nugget.

A. Sipe: The Club's certificate and ribbon sent to us for participating in National Coin Week.

George Magee, Jr., read an interesting paper supplemented by a magazine article on "Sales Tax Tokens." He also exhibited an extensive collection of tokens from the various states issuing them. He gave each one present a plastic Missouri token and an aluminum one from the state of Washington.

—ARTHUR SIPE, Secretary

RICHMOND COIN CLUB—The seventy-second regular meeting was held July 9, at the Byrd Park Club House. Eight members and one visitor were present.

The Club voted to sponsor an exhibit in the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts in July 1948. It was realized that the undertaking was large and involved too much work but the members enthusiastically agreed that the end results would be worth the efforts. A committee composed of Mrs. Lewis, Messrs Howe, Lewis, Johnson and Levi was appointed to begin work at once on the preliminary planning. The remainder of the meeting was spent discussing plans for this display.

Mrs. Lewis exhibited her Confederate Restrike half dollar.

Mr. Dratt showed a number of Legal Tender notes of the series 1869 and 1917 in various denominations.

Mr. Shank displayed his sets of cents, nickels, dimes, twenty cent pieces, quarters, half dollars and trade dollars, all dates after 1858 being present. He had also some early unc. quarter dollars, and a number of Colonial coins.

On April 23 after a special meeting called by the President, Mrs. Lewis, the nine members present adjourned to the Virginia Museum of Fine Arts to pay our respects to the members of the Richmond Stamp Club and to view the Centennial Exhibit, which said Club is sponsoring for the month of July.

—JAMES A. JOHNSON, JR., Secretary

WASHINGTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The regular meeting was held at the U. S. National Museum on Monday 7 July with President Jones presiding. Twenty-four members and two guests were present.

Two new members, Kenneth F. Fisher and Joseph R. Wood, were elected to Membership in the Society. Both new members specialize in the collection of American coins.

Mr. McCormick-Goodhart extended to the Members of the Society and their ladies an invitation to be his guest at his country home during the coming Fall.

President Jones made a report on members who have not been able to attend recent meetings. The President also announced that "Paper Currency" would be the subject for exhibits and talks at the August meeting and that the September meeting would be on Monday the 8th. in order to avoid conflict with Labor Day.

For the program, ten Society members exhibited one or more of their most interesting coins and spoke briefly on the story behind the coins exhibited.

—CAPTAIN O. H. DODSON, USN,
Secretary-Treasurer

WESTCHESTER COUNTY COIN CLUB—The 157th meeting was held on July 15th, at the New Rochelle Y. M. C. A. with seventeen members present. Mr. Weidhaas called the meeting to order at 8:30 P. M. and thereafter presided over the activities of the evening.

The application for membership submitted by Wm. S. Mahoney was presented for action. By unanimous vote of the members present, Mr. Mahoney was welcomed to membership. The topic for the evening was U. S. large cents and the following exhibits were made by members:

Mr. Bellus: Complete type-sets of Cape Verde Island, Republic of Portugal, and Portuguese Indies.

Mr. Dewey: Type collection of U. S. cents. 1793, 1794, 1802, 1806, 1814, 1820, 1851.

Mr. Ehrenberg: Sand blast medal of Verdun 1916; Louisiana Purchase Exposition medal, proof 1904; Pan-American Exposition medal 1901; 1882 $1 P, S, O and CC mints.—unc. and proof.

Mr. Lewis: U. S. large cents—1793 wreath, 1794, 1809, 1848, 1851, 1853, 1854 and 1856 in uncirculated condition; 1804 half cent, plain 4 stems to wreath.

Mr. Lighte: Collection of large cents, with the exception of 1793, 1796, 1799, 1804 and 1809.

Mr. Marsden: 10 pieces of Philippine Guerrilla currency from Pambujan Sur, Samar Guiuan, Samar Balangica, Samar Salcedo, Samar.

Mr. Massey: Collection of 52 large cents.

Mr. Pearson: U. S. large cent collection lacking most rarities.

Mr. Skipton: U. S. copper cents—1794 to 1811.

Mr. Tancza: $5.00 Federal Reserve Note, series of 1914.

Mr. Tartar: 1851 $50, August Humbert—887 Thous.

Mr. Weidhaas: Complete set large cents 1793-1857.

The meeting was adjourned at 11:00 P. M. after all exhibitors had explained the highlights of their exhibits. Thereafter, the trading table was set up and activity was concentrated on trading until 11:30 P. M. when the meeting actually broke up. The topics for the August meeting will be "U. S. small cents" and "Coins of the British Isles."

—WM. PEARSON, Secretary

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The regular monthly meeting was held in the Hunt Room of Hotel Webster Hall, August 5, Chairman Sidney K. Eastwood pre-

sided. There were nine members and one visitor present.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Woodside: Pennies of Edward the Confessor, Harold II and William I; Angels and groats of Edward V and Richard III; Type set of George I in gold, silver and copper.

William A. Gaede: 1776 Continental dollar; 1652 Pine Tree shilling; 1794 half dollar; 6 different encased postage stamps.

Mr. John S. Kachmar: Fractional Currency.

Mr. S. F. Laughlin: Obsolete denominations of U. S. coins Foreign coins

—JOHN S. KACHMAR, Secretary

WESTERN RESERVE NUMISMATIC CLUB—The 316th meeting was held at Hotel Carter, Wednesday, July 9, with 32 members and guests present.

Plans were made for attending the Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs picnic to be held at Geuga Lake. The purpose of this meeting, aside from its social activity, is to reorganize the Penn-Ohio Coin Clubs Association. Seven members indicated their intention to attend with their families and guests to a total of 25.

The Freeman awards for the best talks and exhibits given during the first half of the year were presented: first prize, $12.50 to Mr. Jacka; *second* prize, $7.50, Mr. Hahlen; third, $5, Mr. Law.

Mr. Hahlen spoke on Bolivar, South American liberator, and told the part he played in the liberation of Peru and Bolivia from Spanish domination.

The following exhibits were briefly described:

E. G. Bell: Coin catalog of the Earl of Pembroke collection published in 1746—308 plates.

J. W. Gregor: Proof coins 1936-42; Austria 4 ducats, 1893 and 1902; 1 ducat 1907.

Fred Hahlen: Coins of Columbia, Bolivia, Chile, Brazil, Paraguay, Uruguay and Peru; Barbados pennies.

W. M. Jacka: $100 Confederate bill with orange grove advertisement on reverse.

J. F. Sawicki: Silver medal of Kosciusko issued by the Krakow Numismatic Society to commemorate his birth, 1746-1946; General Grant Medal in fibre 90 mm—1863.

A. P. Spencer: Gold bolivar of Venezuela, copper shekel of Simon Maccabaeus.

—AMBROSE P. SPENCER, Secretary

Organization Directory

ONLY THOSE CLUBS AFFILIATED WITH THE A. N. A. ARE LISTED

Akron Coin Club, Akron, Ohio—Meets third Monday of each month at the Portage Hotel, Akron, 8 p. m. Visitors welcome. C. D. Clark, Secretary, 1796 Goodyear Blvd., Akron 5, Ohio.

Albany Numismatic Society—Meets 2nd and 4th Thursdays (except during July and August) at the Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave. Anna M. Imfeld, Secretary, 107 Sanders Ave., Scotia 2, N. Y.

Allen County Coin Club—Meets last Tuesday each month. E. Gail Hutchison, Secretary, 756 So. Main St., Lima, Ohio.

American Numismatic Association—Meets annually in convention. Lewis M. Reagan, General Secretary, P. O. Box 577, Wichita 1, Kansas.

American Numismatic Society, New York City—Meets four times annually at its building, Broadway at 156th Street. Sydney P. Noe, Secretary.

Anderson Coin Club, Anderson, Indiana—Meets first Thursday of each month at Y. M. C. A. Perry F. Gorman, Secretary, Box 496, Anderson, Ind.

Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal—Meets monthly at Chateau de Ramezay. L. A. Renaud, Curator, Chateau de Ramezay, Montreal, Canada.

Asheville Coin Club—Meets 2nd Wed. at Wachovia Bank. W. T. James, Secretary, 24 Tryon St., Asheville, N. C.

Ashland Stamp & Coin Club—Meets 1st Tuesday and 3rd Monday of each month. Harold B. Wager, Secretary, 300 Dorchester St., Ashland, Ohio.

Atlanta Coin Club, Atlanta, Ga.—Meets 1st Wed. of each month at the Henry Grady Hotel. Truitt Harper, Secretary, 601 Hardendorf Ave. N. E., Atlanta 6, Ga.

Baltimore Coin Club—Meets first and third Thursdays at Peale's Municipal Museum, 225 N. Holliday St. Murray Heiserman, Secretary, 3718 Columbus Dr., Baltimore, Md.

Bay Cities Coin Club, California—Meets 2nd Wed. each month Directors Room, Santa Monica Commercial and Savings Bank, 4th St., and Arizona Ave., Santa Monica. Ben Schwartz, Secretary, 226 Horizon Ave., Venice, Cal.

Birmingham Coin Club—Meets 3rd Tues. of each month in the Auditorium of the White Dairy Co., 621 So. 27th St. Mrs. Opal Morris, Secretary, 409 Woodland Ave., Homewood 9, Ala.

Boone Numismatic Association, Boone, Iowa—Meets first Monday evening of each month at Baird's Cafe. Guy L. Timbrel, Secretary, 1633 3rd St., Boone, Iowa.

Boston Numismatic Society—Business meeting at 7.30 p. m. the third Tuesday of each month (summer excepted) at the Burroughs Foundation, 10 Somerset St., Boston, Mass. H. E. Whiteneck, Secretary, 68 Huntington Ave., Boston 16, Mass.

Bronx (New York) Coin Club—Meets 4th Wed. of each month, at Concourse Plaza Hotel, 161st St. and Grand Concourse, The Bronx. Martin F. Kortjohn, Secretary, 10 E. 40th St., New York City 16, N. Y.

Brooklyn Coin Club—Meets 1st Wed. of each month at the Hotel Granada, Lafayette Ave. and Ashland Place, Brooklyn, N. Y. Irving Mertik, Secretary, 1654 E. 13th St., Brooklyn 29, New York.

Buffalo Numismatic Association, Buffalo, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Mondays at Central Y. M. C. A. Geo. A. Cage, Librarian, 151 LaSalle Ave., Kenmore, N. Y.

Burlington Coin Club—Dorothy E. Dehn, Secretary, 1510 Mt. Pleasant St., Burlington, Iowa.

California Coin Club—Meets first Tuesday of each month at 953 S. Grand Avenue, Los Angeles. Earle K. Stanton, Secretary, 1102 California State Bldg., 217 W. 1st St., Los Angeles 12, Calif.

Calumet Numismatic Club—Meets 3rd Wed. each month at Oil Workers' Building, Hammond, Ind. Marion Isaacs, Secretary, Route 1, Chesterton, Ind.

Canton Coin Club, Canton, Ohio—Meets second Tuesday at the Y. M. C. A. C. T. Bolus, Secretary, 1266 11th St. N. W., Canton 3, Ohio.

Cedar Rapids Coin Club, Cedar Rapids, Iowa—Meets second and fourth Mondays of each month at the Roosevelt Hotel, Cedar Rapids. Charles O. Bartman, Secretary, 1060 Center Point Road, Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Charlotte Coin Club, Charlotte, N. C.—Meets first Monday of each month at 501 Johnson Bldg. R. T. Kirkland, Secretary, 1420 Ivey Drive, Charlotte, N. C.

Chase Bank Coin Society, New York City—Meets third Thursday of each month. Richard J. Martin, Secretary, care of Chase National Bank, New York, N. Y.

Chautauqua Coin, Stamp and Curio Club, Jamestown, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at Hotel Jamestown. J. Henry Payne, Secretary, 718 Newland Ave., Jamestown, N. Y.

Chicago Coin Club—Meets the first Wednesday of each month in the Flemish Room on the 3rd floor of the Hamilton Hotel at 20 S. Dearborn St. Earl C. Brown, Secretary-Treasurer, 7005 S. Normal Blvd., Chicago 21, Ill.

Cincinnati Numismatic Association—Meets fourth Friday of each month at the Sinton Hotel. George D. Parvin, Secretary, 6306 Plainfield Pike, Cincinnati 27, Ohio.

Columbus Numismatic Society—Meets second Monday of each month at the Neil House, Columbus, Ohio. R. A. Hinshaw, Secretary, 68 W. Maynard Ave., Columbus 1, Ohio.

Cortland Coin Club, Cortland, N. Y.—Meets first Thursday of each month at Hotel Cortland. Alec R. Seymour, Sec'y.-Treas., 70 Port Watson St., Cortland, N. Y.

Dallas Coin Club, Dallas, Texas—Meets third Thursday night of each month in the Baker Hotel. Ernest Couch, Secretary, 626 S. Winnetka Ave., Dallas, Texas.

Davenport Numismatic Club—Meets 3rd Tuesday each month at the Lend-a-Hand Club. Mrs. Jess Likeness, Secretary, 1908 East 12th St., Davenport, Iowa.

Des Moines Coin Club, Des Moines, Iowa—Meets first Friday of each month at Y. M. C. A., 4th and Keo Way. Mrs. Walter P. Bohler, Secretary, 1622 11th St., Des Moines 14, Iowa.

Detroit Coin Club—Meets the first Thursday of each month in the Book-Cadillac Hotel at 8:00 p. m. Kenneth A. Fulton, Secretary, 407 Manor Ave., Grosse Pointe Farms 30, Michigan.

East Liverpool Coin Club, East Liverpool, Ohio—Meets third Tuesday of each month at the Y. M. C. A., 4th and Washington Sts., 7:30 p. m. Visitors welcome. John Quick, Secretary, Newell, West Virginia.

Elkhart Coin Club—Meets second Monday of each month. Merle Toney, Secretary, R. R. 5, Elkhart, Indiana.

Fairfield Coin Club, Fairfield, Iowa—Meets fourth Monday of each month at the Browning Studios, at 8 p. m Keith A. Prizer, Secretary.

Fairfield County Numismatic Association, Bridgeport, Conn.—Meets third Thursday of each month at the Green Shutters Inn, 123 Harrison St., Bridgeport, Conn. Oscar G. Schilke, Secretary, Beacon Falls, Conn.

Flint Stamp & Coin Club—Meets 1st and 3rd Tuesdays at Hotel. Chester H. Long, Secretary, 738 E. Hamilton Ave., Flint 5, Mich.

Fugio Coin Club, Shreveport, La.—Meets second Monday of each month in the directors' room of the Commercial National Bank. Thos. E. McIver, Secretary, Shreveport, La.

Greeley Coin Club, Colorado—Meets first Monday each month at Home Gas and Electric Lounge. Joe Springston, Secretary, 1724 15th Ave., Greeley, Colo.

Greenville Coin Club, Greenville, Pa.—Meets second Wednesday of each month at the Gillespie Real Estate Office. A. J. LeBarron, acting Secretary, R. F. D. No. 1, Greenville, Pa.

Hamilton Coin Club, Ohio—Meets second Thursday each month at the Y. M. C. A. Carl O. Schwab, Secretary, 630 So. 4th St., Hamilton, Ohio.

Hartford Numismatic Society, Conn.—Meets 3rd Wed. each month at the Hotel Bond, Hartford. Maxwell Dudley, Secretary, 71 Lakeview Dr., Lake Wanghmbaug, South Coventry, Conn.

Hawthorne Coin Club—Meets 1st Friday of each month at the Western Electric Company's Hawthorne Works, Chicago, Ill. David W. Shepard, Secretary, 126 South Park Road, LaGrange, Ill.

Heart of America Numismatic Association, Kansas City, Mo.—Meets 3rd Mon. of each month at Bellerive Hotel, Kansas City. R. M. Janda, Secretary, Box 5959, Westport Station, Kansas City, Mo.

Hudson Valley Coin Club, N. Y.—Meets 2nd and 4th Wednesdays, 8 p. m. at the Y. M. C. A. George J. Silkworth, Secretary, 197 Hurley Ave., Kingston, N. Y.

Illinois Valley Coin Club—Meets monthly. Gordon R. Tucker, Secretary, 115 W. Kent St., Streator, Ill.

Indianapolis Coin Club, Indianapolis, Indiana—Meets 4th Wed. each month (except Nov. and Dec. 3rd Wed.) at the Washington Hotel. W. D. Cook, Secretary, 1100 Oakland Ave., Indianapolis, Ind.

Iowa Numismatic Association—State Convention held each May. Lester S. Wright, Secretary, 2944 East 18th St, Davenport, Iowa.

Jackson-Mississippi Coin Club—Meets monthly. Charles Arrington, Secretary, Jackson State National Bank, Jackson 106, Mississippi.

Jersey City Coin Club, Jersey City, N. J.—Meets fourth Thursday of the month at Hotel Plaza. Emil Voigt, Secretary, 108 Roosevelt Ave., Valley Stream, L. I., N. Y.

Lehigh Valley Coin Club, Palmerton, Pa.—Meets third Thursday of each month, the meetings rotating between Palmerton, Bethlehem, Stroudsburg, and Allentown, Pa. Kenneth B. Lobb, Secretary, 421 W. Penna Ave., Pen Argyl, Pa.

Madison Coin Club, Wisconsin—Meets 2nd Mon. each month at Earle-Evelyne Salon, 30 E. Mifflin St. Ray Rinden, Secretary, 1849 Jenifer St., Madison 4, Wisc.

Massillon Coin Club—J. A. Matthews, Jr., Secretary, 860 Seneca St., N. E., Massilon, Ohio.

Meriden Coin Club—Meets 2nd Wed. of each month in the office A. B. Aubrey, 29 Colony St. Carl Rufieth, Secretary, P. O. Box 22, Meriden, Conn.

Milford Coin Club, Milford, Conn.—Meets 3rd Mon. of each month in the Odd Fellows Hall. Arthur C. England, Secretary, 90 Seaview Ave., West Haven, Conn.

Milwaukee Numismatic Society—Meets third Friday each month at the Red Arrow Club, 774 N. Broadway. Lillard W. Culver, Secretary, 2708 E. Hampshire St., Milwaukee 11, Wisconsin.

Missouri Numismatic Society, St. Louis, Mo.—Meets second Monday of each month at Melbourne Hotel, Grand and Lindell Blvds., St. Louis, Mo. Al. Wick, Secretary, 5437 Nagel Ave., St. Louis, Mo.

Muncie Coin Club—Meets 3rd Thurs. of each month at the Y. M. C. A. Jack Paul, Secretary, 734½ N. Jefferson St., Muncie, Ind.

Nashville (Tenn.) Coin Club—Meets 1st and 3rd Thursdays each month at the James Robertson Hotel, Nashville. John E. Tidwell, Secretary, 2820 Azalea Place, Nashville, Tenn.

New Castle Coin Club, New Castle, Pa.—Meets fourth Monday of each month in the Y. M. C. A. D. G. Piper, Secretary, 910 Rose avenue, New Castle, Pa.

New Haven Numismatic Society—Meets fourth Wednesday of each month at the Chamber of Commerce Hall, Liberty Building, 152 Temple St., New Haven, Conn. Walter P. Johnson, Secretary, 19 West Rock Ave., New Haven 15, Conn.

New Jersey Numismatic Society—Meets second Thursday of each month at Newark Athletic Club, 16 Park Place, Newark, N. J. Erich F. Witzel, Secretary, 171 A Baldwin Ave., Jersey City 6, N. J.

New York Numismatic Club, New York City—Meets 2nd Fri. of each month. Vernon L. Brown, Secretary, Chase National Bank, 46 Cedar St., New York 5, N. Y.

Northwest Coin Club, Minneapolis, Minn.—Meets first Wednesday of each month at the Curtis Hotel in Minneapolis, and the third Wednesday of each month at 1437 Marshall Ave., St. Paul. Gerald Huber, Secretary, 1425 LaSalle Ave., Minneapolis 4, Minn.

Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Philadelphia—Meets six or seven times during the winter by invitation by individual members at their homes or clubs. W. Wistar Wood, Secretary, 7500 Germantown Ave., Philadelphia, Pa.

Numismatic Society of Frederick, Md.—Louise S. Rhoads, Secretary, 127 East Patrick St., Frederick, Md.

Oklahoma City Coin Club—Meets third Monday of each month at the Biltmore Hotel. Lindell T. Walters, Secretary, 228 N. E. 15th St., Oklahoma City 4, Okla.

Omaha Coin Club—Meets first Friday of each month at Omaha City Hall. O. M. Campbell, Secretary, 520 So. 31st St., Omaha 5, Nebr.

Oneonta Coin Club, Oneonta, N. Y.—Meets first Friday in the month, place being decided at regular meetings. Mrs. Howard Wilson. Secretary, Oneonta, N. Y.

Orange County Coin Club, Brea, Cal.—Meets third Tuesday of each month at the Women's Club House, Brea. C. Glen Curtis, M. D., Secretary, Brea, Cal.

Oregon Numismatic Society—Meets second Monday each month at Benson Hotel, Portland, Oregon. Lloyd L. Ruff, Secretary, 3105 N. E. 45th Ave., Portland 13, Ore.

Pacific Coast Numismatic Society, San Francisco, Cal.—Meets last Wednesday of each month at Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco. Edward Fogler, Secretary-Treasurer, 717 Sutter St., San Francisco, Cal.

Pasadena Coin Club, California—Meets 3rd. Wed. each month at 115 East Union St., Pasadena. Grover W. Greening, Secretary, 681 N. Orange Grove Ave., Pasadena 3, Cal.

Philadelphia Coin Club—Meets third Tuesday of each month at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel. Arthur Sipe, Secretary, 4021 Bonsall Ave., Drexel Hill, Pa.

Phoenix Coin Club—Meets 2nd Tues. each month at Adams Hotel. Rollah E. Aston, Secretary, Room 212, Capitol Bldg., Phoeniz, Ariz.

Piedmont Numismatic Club, Winston-Salem, N. C.—Meets second Tuesday of each month at the Y. M. C. A. Roger A. Snyder, Secretary, 603 Knollwood St., Winston-Salem 5, N. C.

Pitcairn Coin and Medal Club, Pitcairn, Pa.—Meets the fourth Tuesday of the month at 544 Broadway. R. W. Bearinger, Secretary, 425 Second St., Pitcairn, Pa.

Pittsburgh Coin Club—Meets third Wednesday each month in the Game Room of the Pittsburgh Coal Co., 409 Wood St. H. D. Gibbs, Secretary, 218 Fourth Ave., Pittsburgh 10, Pa.

Racine Numismatic Society, Racine, Wisc.—Meets second Thursday of each month at the Y. M. C. A. J. Robert Simanek, Secretary, 421 Augusta St., Racine, Wisc.

Reading Coin Club, Reading, Pa.—Meets 2nd and 4th Mondays of each month at Reading Co. Y. M. C. A., 6th and Oley Sts., Joseph J. Heine, Secretary, 511 Oley St., Reading, Pa.

Coin Club of Rhode Island—Meets third Thursday of each month at the Old France Restaurant, unless otherwise mentioned. Providence, R. I. Miss Wilna B. Mackintosh, 115 Ivy St., E. Providence, R. I.

Richmond Coin Club, Va.—Meets 2nd Wed. of each month, Byrd Park Club House. James A. Johnson, Jr., Secretary, 921 West Franklin St., Cumberland, Md.

Rochester Numismatic Association, Rochester, N. Y.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at the Rochester Museum of Arts and Sciences, July and August on third Tuesdays. John J. Pittman, Secretary, 4 Acton Street, Rochester 13, N. Y.

Rocky Mountain Numismatic Society—Meets second Thursday of each month at office of Rex Reese, 605 17th St., Denver. Jacob G. Willson, Secretary, Room 321 Baltimore Hotel, Denver 2, Colo.

San Diego Numismatic Society—Meets first Monday of each month at 716 East Broadway. Leonel C. Panosh, Secretary, P. O. Box 1773, San Diego 12, Calif.

Seattle Coin Club—Meets last Thur. each month at the Y. M. C. A., 909 4th Ave. Mrs. D. Dee Nise, Secretary, 6535 18th St., NE. Seattle 5, Wash.

Southeast Texas Numismatic Association—J. T. Cone, Secretary, 3901 5th St., Port Arthur, Texas.

Southeastern Numismatic Association—A. B. Roton, Secretary, 818 Laura St., Jacksonville 2, Fla.

Springfield Coin Club, Springfield, Mass.—Meets second Tuesday of each month (except July and August) at the Museum of Fine Arts, Springfield. Gustave L. Sandburg, Secretary, 119 State St., Springfield, Mass.

Syracuse Numismatic Association, Syracuse, N. Y.—Meets first Friday of each month at homes of members. Frank O. Webster, Secretary, 312 Wright Ave., E. Syracuse, N. Y.

Tampa Collectors Club, Tampa, Florida—Meets every second and fourth Mondays of each month at 8 p. m. at the Y. W. C. A. Florian Wexel, Secretary, 511 E. Hanlon St., Tampa 4, Florida.

Toledo Coin Club, Toledo, Ohio—Meets 2nd Friday each month at the Commodore Perry Hotel. S. L. Szyperski, Secretary, 222 Austin St., Toledo, Ohio.

Toronto Coin Club—Meets 2nd and 4th Fridays at 592 Church St., Apt. 1. Norman B. Mason, Secretary, 200 St. Helens Ave., Toronto 4, Canada.

Toledo Coin Club, Toledo, Ohio—Meets second Friday of each month, in the American Room, of the Ft. Meigs Hotel, Toledo. S. L. Szyperski, Secretary, 222 Austin St., Toledo, Ohio.

Triple Cities Coin Club, Binghamton, New York—Meets first Monday of each month. Stephen Purdy, Secretary, 180 Hawley St., Binghamton, N. Y.

Ventura Coin Club, Cal.—Gary S. Gleed, Secretary, Box 688 Delano, Cal.

Washington Numismatic Society, Washington, D. C.—Meets first Monday of each month at the National Museum. Harry A. Rothwell, Secretary, 3536 T. St. N. W., Washington 7, D. C.

Waterloo Coin Club, Waterloo, Iowa—Meets first Friday of each month at Grout Room, Y. M. C. A., Waterloo, Iowa. Fred Schiel, Secretary 125 Kern St., Waterloo, Iowa.

Westchester County (N. Y.) Coin Club—Meets third Tuesday of each month at the Y. M. C. A. in New Rochelle, N. Y. Wm. Pearson, Secretary, 144 Vista Place, Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Western Maryland Coin Club, Cumberland, Md.—Meets 3rd Wed. of each month at the Central Y. M. C. A. Alfred Hutter, Secretary, 301 Holland St., Cumberland, Md.

Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society—Meets the first Tuesday of every month at the University of Pittsburgh Cathedral of Learning. T. Winsor Peters, Secretary, Crescent Hills, Pittsburgh 21, Penna.

Western Reserve Numismatic Club, Cleveland, Ohio—Meets second Wednesday of each month at Hotel Carter. Ambrose P. Spencer, Secretary, 1357 Ardoon Road, Cleveland 21, Ohio.

Wichita Coin Club—Meets third Thursday of each month at Central Y. M. C. A. C. B. Edwards, Secy., Box 1332, Wichita 1, Kansas.

Wilkes Barre Coin Club—Meets 2nd Thurs. of each month at the local Y. M. C. A. George P. Williams, Secretary, 40 Price St., Kingston, Pa.

Worcester County Numismatic Society—Meets 2nd Fri. each month. Frank L. Abbott, Secretary, 140 Olean St., Worcester 2, Mass.

Youngstown Numismatic Club, Youngstown, Ohio—Meets first Thursday of each month at Sheriff's Office, Youngstown. A. F. Smith, Secretary, Box 2616, South Side Station, Youngstown, O.

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New Zealand Numismatic Society—Meets last Monday of each month, March to November, Turnbull Library, Bowen St., Wellington. Allan Sutherland, Hon. Secretary, Parliament Bldgs., Wellington.

Numismatic Society of South Australia—Meets first Thursday of each month, 7.45 p. m., Majestic Chambers, 100 King William St., Adelaide. C. W. Reed, Hon. Secretary, 78 Fairford St., Unley, South Australia.